

China Railway To West Cut

Last Link To Changsha Taken By Reds

Shanghai, May 6—(AP)—Communist armies thrust across the last east-west railway in Nationalist China today and also jabbed sharply from two directions at nervous Shanghai.

The Reds' main southward push drove into Yushan, Shanghai and Yang, over a 60 mile stretch of the railway that runs from the sea at Hangchow westward to Changsha.

At Changsha, 275 miles west of the reported Red positions, the line connects with the north-south Hankow-Canton railway. It is down that line that Gen. Pai Chung-Hsi's 200,000-Man Hankow nationalist garrison might retreat south.

The Shanghai garrison commander did not mention the southern front. But the Reds are known to have made deep penetrations there.

(No source was given in the Shanghai dispatch for news that the Reds had cut the east-west railway or for the identity of the towns taken. The positions given indicated advances of 30 to 50 miles in one day. This put the Reds about 150 miles below the Yangtze, which they crossed the night of April 20. Rapidity of the March suggests negligible opposition.)

The garrison commander said 5,000 Reds were "stampeded" after a two-hour fight near Taihang, 30 miles northwest of Shanghai.

It made no such claim in reporting other Red attacks 50 to 60 miles southwest of Shanghai. It said only that Communists were driving toward Kashi, on the Shanghai-Hangchow railway, from points 9 to 10 miles north, west and south of that junction point.

Elements of the Red 28th and 29th armies were mentioned in these attacks. From this it would seem that the Reds had plenty of strength in the vicinity.

"Strong nationalist forces were sent to check the attackers," said the garrison commander.

Since the Communist capture of Hangchow May 3 already had sealed off Shanghai by land, the Kashi attacks and the operation northwest of Shanghai would seem to be the start of a bid to take this huge city. No other reason was immediately apparent.

Qualified military observers felt, however, that both the Red thrusts were feelers and that they might or might not be preludes to further moves toward Shanghai. It was felt that the next 24 hours might tell what was up.

List Additional Newspapermen On Illinois Payroll

St. Louis, May 6—(AP)—The St. Louis Post-Dispatch and Chicago Daily News today listed additional Illinois newspapermen who they said received state salaries during the administration of former Republican Governor Dwight H. Green. The Post-Dispatch said its search of state records had brought to 51 the total number of newspapermen who were on the payroll during Green's administration, which ran from 1940 through 1948. The newspaper said the total amount collected by the 51 persons was \$480,000.

The two newspapers reported their first payroll findings April 14, and have added names to the list in later stories. Both newspapers supported the candidacy of Adlai E. Stevenson, Democrat who defeated Green last November.

Budget Cut Causes VA To Fire 8,000

Washington, May 6—(AP)—The Veterans administration said today it is going to fire 8,000 employees Monday and may have to let another 7,000 or 8,000 go later this summer.

Next week's discharge, VA explained, result from a voluntary \$500,000 slash the agency took in its budget estimate for the 1949-50 fiscal year.

It said that more firings may prove necessary if an additional \$200,000 reduction voted by the House is approved by the Senate. The House voted to give the agency \$5,145,431.940.

Carl R. Gray, Jr., veterans administrator, said none of the hospital or other medical facilities will be cut.

CONFIRM APPOINTMENT
Washington, May 6—(AP)—The Senate today confirmed Lynn R. Arthur as director of the tariff commission expiring June 16, 1953.

Hague Turns Out To Win Jersey City For Demos

Jersey City, N. J., May 6—(AP)—Frank Hague—the boss—is back on the campaign trail.

Those are the words you hear today in this industrial city, one of the nation's Democratic bastions known for old line rough and tumble politics.

The septuagenarian Democratic leader who has been in semi-retirement the past two years isn't a candidate for office. He's stumping for his ticket in Tuesday's city commission election.

It's one of the toughest battles of Hague's stormy career which dates back some 30 years when he climbed into the driver's seat on the tightly-knit Democratic organization.

The veteran political chieftain has pulled out all stops to win the fight. Numerous personal appearances, aerial displays, parades, rallies, and other hoopla employed during Hague's hey-day have been the order of the day.

The city commission election may well hold the key to the political future of Hague who always has been able to deliver tremendous Democratic majorities from Jersey City in state and national elections.

Should he lose in Jersey City, Hague's chances of electing a Democratic governor this fall will suffer. His continuance as state leader and national Democratic vice chairman also may be affected.

Says U.S. Hoped Coplon Would Lead To Spy Contacts

Washington, May 6—(AP)—An FBI agent testified today the government hoped Judith Coplon would lead the trail to "other contacts" in alleged Soviet spy operations in this country. Special agent Roger W. Robinson said that was the reason Miss Coplon wasn't arrested several weeks before operatives finally sized her and Valentine A. Gubitchev, 32, in New York last March 4.

Coincidentally, the State department disclosed that the United States has turned down new Russian demands for the release of Gubitchev, a Soviet citizen and former United Nations employ.

Gubitchev, now out on \$100,000 bail posted by the Russian embassy, is scheduled to go on trial with Miss Coplon in a separate court action in New York. They are jointly charged there with espionage conspiracy.

Miss Coplon has been on trial here alone for the past 10 days, accused of stealing government secrets. She was employed as a justice department analyst before her arrest.

Puzzle Of Woman's Death Unsolved By Coroner's Jury

Geneva, Ill., May 6—(AP)—A coroner's jury reported today it could not decide whether a Phoenix, Ariz., divorcee committed suicide or was murdered in a Geneva hotel room Wednesday.

A traveling salesman from Omaha and his Belgian-born fiancée, jailed on an adultery charge, testified that they traveled with Mrs. Charlotte B. Van Every, 23, from New York to Geneva, and that they believe she shot herself because she was ill and despondent.

The inquest jury reported that Mrs. Van Every died of gunshot wounds "inflicted by a person or persons unknown."

The salesman, E. H. Garriques, 36, and his fiancée, Mrs. Simone Hindemarch, 25, also of Omaha, were charged today with "living in an open state of adultery."

The prosecutor who filed the charge said the couple registered as man and wife at a nearby Aurora, Ill., hotel after Mrs. Van Every was found dead.

Ford Pickets Are Peaceful

TO HONOR FLIERS KILLED IN AIRLIFT

Washington, May 6—(AP)—Secretary of Defense Johnson has approved the award of a "special certificate of honor" to Americans who died in the Berlin airlift.

Johnson said in a letter made public by Senator Wiley (R-Wis.), today that the certificate "will afford national recognition to those men who have served their nation with such gallantry."

To date 26 members of the armed services and one civilian have lost their lives in the task of carrying air-borne supplies to Berlin.

Girl, 13, Shows How She Drowned Young Playmate

Joliet, Ill., May 6—(AP)—Diane Allen, 13, demonstrated to authorities today how she drowned a seven-year-old boy playmate.

A few moments after the reenactment she drowned a milk shake.

And then, matter of factly, she described the killing of the boy, Charles Johnson, to the coroner's jury. Without any display of emotion she detailed how she had pressed the boy's head under the water of a drainage ditch last Saturday afternoon, and held it under until his struggles ceased.

The inquest verdict held the eighth grade student "responsible" for the boy's death and recommended that she be held to the Will county grand jury. The coroner's jury did not, however, suggest a specific charge.

John I. Pearce, the state's attorney, said he will charge the girl with murder late today.

Immediately after the inquest, Diane, dressed in blue jeans and a t-shirt, was brought into the courtroom of Circuit Judge James V. Bartley. He named James E. Burke, former veteran state's attorney.

Polish Woman Wins Flight From Fear; Commits Suicide

Zionsville, Ind., May 6—(AP)—The long flight from fear was over today for Mrs. Stanislaus Bielski.

It followed her on her journey from Poland with her husband and their five-year-old son. They came in the first group of nine displaced persons to arrive in Indiana.

It was with her when she saw policemen in the cities.

It stayed with her as she tried to understand the new world customs when they settled on a farm near here.

The young, blonde mother wrote letters almost every day to her 11 brothers and sisters back in Poland. There was never a reply. Every night she wept.

This week her husband had a short letter from his brother in Poland. The Russians wanted their mother's house. She refused to move, so a soldier tossed a grenade into the living room, and that was the last of the old woman.

Yesterday Bielski found his wife dead in the barn, an apparent suicide. Fear had won the chase.

Cut Damage Award To Widow Of RR Man By \$55,000

Chicago, May 6—(AP)—Superior Judge Wilbert F. Crowley today reduced damages awarded the widow of a Charleston, Ill., railroad section laborer from \$100,000 to \$45,000.

Charles Phillips, 37, employed by the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, was killed Nov. 6, 1947, when a motor rail car and a freight train collided near Charleston.

His widow, Elma, 37, mother of six children, was awarded \$100,000 damages last Nov. 12 by a jury which found the railroad had been negligent.

Judge Crowley reduced the award after the railroad's lawyer, Douglas C. Moir, testified Phillips earned \$1,800 the year before he died.

His total expected life income, based on this figure, would not have exceeded \$45,000 if he had lived, Moir said.

Mrs. Phillips' lawyer, James A. Dooley, said he would ask for a new trial.

DIE IN PLANE CRASH
Portland, Eng., May 6—(AP)—Seven members of the Bristol air plane company's research staff were killed today when a plane they were testing crashed into the English channel.

Crew members of a nearby Royal Navy submarine said the plane, a two-engine freighter type, "disintegrated in the air."

Plant Fires 14 Unionists For Walkout

Detroit, May 6—(AP)—The Ford Motor Company, shut down by a strike of its 60,000 production workers, announced today the firing of 14 unionists.

Sound trucks carried news of the discharges to sweltering pickets at the plant gates.

Meantime, Dearborn City officials turned down a Ford request for more police protection at the plant gates. The company protested that pickets were massing there.

No Gate Blocked
Dearborn Mayor Orville L. Hubbard said no factory gates are blocked.

"Anyone who wants to can walk right in," Hubbard said.

The firings stemmed from wildcat walkouts preceding the general strike yesterday and included four CIO United Auto Workers committeemen.

Among them was Chairman Mike Donnelly of the union's unit in the "B" building, center of the "speed-up" dispute.

An estimated 5,000 pickets paraded peacefully around the plant's ten gates as word of the firings spread. There was no immediate comment from the union.

Ford attributed 11 of the dismissals, including Donnelly's, to a brief stoppage at the plant last Friday. The walkout began as a special international union committee arrived to investigate UAW local 600's charge of speed-up on the assembly line.

Postpone Investigation
As a result, the top-level union committee was forced to postpone its investigation to Monday and Ford sent 1,500 workers home.

In contrast with the only other big Ford strike in 1941, everything was peaceful on the widespread picket lines.

About 62,000 of the 65,000 strikers walked out of the sprawling Rouge plant at noon yesterday. The others left their posts simultaneously at the company's Lincoln-Mercury plant.

Ford has said that virtually all its 106,000 production workers would be idled within two to nine days by the shutdown of the Key Rouge plant. So far, however, no other plant closings or layoffs have been announced.

Until news of the 14 firings was spread, sound trucks had confined their rallying voices to urging pickets to "keep up your good work," union songs and an occasional attack on some Ford official. The temperature stood at 90 degrees.

Labor Industry Agrees To Increase Compensation Pay

Chicago, May 6—(AP)—Labor and industry leaders announced agreement today on legislation to increase occupational injury and sickness benefits to Illinois workers by 15.4 per cent across the board.

Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson, attending the conference, called the agreement "encouraging and significant." He urged the group to draft a complete revision of the law for possible 1951 enactment. He expressed hope for a future agreement on unemployment compensation liberalization.

The increase proposed today would be effective July 1, if the legislature enacts them. The proposals will be submitted as a new bill or as an amendment to a pending bill (Senate bill 44). The agreement resulted from cooperation with a Senate Industrial affairs subcommittee.

The benefits are paid by insurance companies. Employers pay for the insurance. The state law regulates the size of the benefits and the range for various types of disability.

Urges Conciliation Service For State Labor Disputes

Chicago, May 6—(AP)—The City club of Chicago today urged establishment of a new state conciliation service for handling of labor disputes in Illinois.

In letters to Gov. Adlai Stevenson and Frank Annunzio, state labor director, the club's labor and management relations committee urged that conciliation be removed from labor department jurisdiction.

The committee said that the present Illinois law does not apply to firms having less than 25 employees. "Since the federal mediation conciliation service is not permitted by law to take cases unless they have a substantial effect on interstate commerce, there is no public agency in which employers or employees or small industries may turn for mediation in this state," it said.

Mother Who Tried 18 Years To Free Son May Succeed

Chicago, May 6—(AP)—An arthritis-crippled mother who has worked 18 years to free her son from prison had her day in court today.

The occasion was a hearing before Federal Judge Michael L. Igoe on a petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

The petition, filed by Attorney Luis Kutner in behalf of Raymond Boyd, 51, contends he was unjustly convicted of murdering a bystander, Frank Blessing, during a quarrel over a poker game in a Peoria speakeasy.

Boyd charged he was "railroaded" into a life term.

Today, Boyd's mother, Mrs. Grace M. Boyd of Fairfield, Iowa, testified from her wheel chair that she had heard the state's attorney who prosecuted her son in 1930 make an unseemly remark about money.

She said that she went to the home of the Peoria county official, Henry Pratt, in 1933 to ask him for a "letter of recommendation" to help in her fight to free her son. As he walked toward the car in which she sat, Mrs. Boyd said, Pratt remarked to another man, "if she came with money, it's two years too late."

Boyd's petition charged that Pratt had offered to free him for \$5,000 and later upped the amount to \$40,000. Pratt termed the charge "a downright lie."

Report State Will Not Ask Death For Doctor Rutledge

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 6—(AP)—An informed source said today the state might not ask for the death penalty in the murder trial of Dr. Robert C. Rutledge, Jr.

Trial of the St. Louis child specialist adjourned yesterday until Monday, when prosecution and defense opening statements will be made. Three and a half days were required for selection of a jury.

Rutledge, 27, is charged with first degree murder in the "love triangle" knife-slashing of Byron C. Hattman, 29, St. Louis, aircraft technician. Hattman, a bachelor, was labeled by the authorities as the lover of Rutledge's 23-year-old wife, Sydney.

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Connally States Senate No Doubt Will Ratify Pact

Washington, May 6—(AP)—The Senate Foreign Relations committee today heard a string of strong endorsements of the Atlantic Security Alliance and Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) said there is no doubt the Senate will ratify it.

"The more questions asked, the quicker it will go through," the Texan told reporters as the hearing on the 12-nation defense pact ground on.

James W. Gerard, pre-World War I ambassador to Germany, said he had polled 23 ex-ambassadors and most of them favor the treaty.

Owen J. Roberts, former supreme court justice, said the pact is an emergency measure to prevent an attack by Russia.

Most of Capitol Hill's business today went on in committees.

Communism—Benjamin C. Sigal spokesman for Americans for Democratic action and the American Civil Liberties union, told a Senate judiciary subcommittee that anti-communist bills before it are unconstitutional. They would curtail free speech and thought, he said, and actually help red activities. The bills would require red groups to register and would penalize conspiracy to overthrow the government.

FIREMAN RETIRES
Peoria, Ill., May 6—(AP)—The man with the longest continuous service record in the history of the fire department is retiring. He is Charles Begler, first assistant fire chief, who has been with the department for 47 years, 40 of them at the same station.

U.S. Denies Russian Charge That U.S. Has Bases In Spain

Lake Success, May 6—(AP)—The United States denied today a Russian and Polish charge that American bases are building air and military bases in Spain.

It was the shortest and strongest statement of American policy on Spain made so far in the United Nations assembly in the three years since Generalissimo Franco has been an issue before the U.N.

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Atherton said the U.S. will vote against the Russian charge.

Germans Will Lift Blockade

BELIEVE YOUTH KILLED SELF IN EXPERIMENT

Mapleton, Eng., May 6—(AP)—John Gee, 15, told two of his friends he didn't think 220 volts of electricity would kill. He was found dead soon after, lying beside an electric heater.

Coroner D. P. Shackles told an inquest jury today "it would not be an unduly wide deduction that the boy was trying out his theories." The verdict was accidental death.

German Political Leaders Approve Draft Of Charter

Bonn, Germany, May 6—(AP)—German political leaders tonight approved the draft constitution for a West German government on its second reading. The only remaining formality is the third reading set for Sunday.

The vote was 47 to two, with 15 delegates abstaining, mostly on the grounds the constitution does not provide sufficient "states rights."

The negative votes were cast by the only two communist delegates. The constitutional convention, jury meeting in plenary session without interruption until nearly midnight, overrode communist opposition to the draft.

The communists had argued that lifting the Russian blockade of Berlin, set for next week, called for forming an "all-German" government, including the Soviet zone, instead of establishing only a western state.

Non-communist reaction was that communists would attempt to dominate any "all-German" government formed at this time.

Sunday was chosen for the final reading of the proposed constitution because it will be the fourth anniversary of the Nazi defeat in World War II. Convention delegates said they want to establish May 8 as a favorable rather than an unfavorable date in German history.

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Actual Work Left To Reich Transporters

Berlin, May 6—(AP)—The big four powers are turning over to German transport workers the physical lifting of the Berlin blockade next Thursday, informed American sources said today.

Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the American commander, told newsmen that western trains will be ready at midnight Wednesday to roll as soon as the Soviet barriers are eliminated.

The western counter blockade of the Soviet zone of Germany is to end at the same time as the Berlin blockade under the agreement of Russia, the United States, Britain and France, announced yesterday.

Complex Problems
Complex technical problems are involved. American informants said the military government merely outlines to the Germans the policy to be followed. German experts are to coordinate the East-West traffic and work out the necessary railway, barge and highway schedules.

The informants said four-power talks will not be necessary unless some unexpected quirk develops.

They emphasized that four-power negotiations will not be resumed here on any of the attendant problems, such as currency. All these must be thrashed out in the council of foreign ministers meetings which opens in Paris May 23.

Officials in Washington indicated they expect Russia to propose the withdrawal of all occupation troops from Germany during the Paris talks.

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**SCUTTLE OF SUPER-CARRIER
SHOULD HAVE BEEN EXPLAINED**

Has this country saved \$183,000,000 in the decision to cancel the super-carrier United States, or has it lost a vital component of its future defense forces? That is the biggest and least discussed question in all the storm that the cancellation stirred up. And it seems to us that most people would like to know as nearly as possible whether it was a good or bad move, and why.

In his letter of resignation, Navy Secretary Sullivan complained that Defense Secretary Johnson had not consulted him in the final decision. But it hardly seems possible that the Navy went unheard in the matter. The carrier was first proposed in 1945. Since then the Navy must have had abundant opportunity to say all it had to say about the need for the giant vessel.

The Air Force likewise has had its chance to make a case against it. There has been talk about Air Force "pressure" behind the move to stop construction on the carrier. How sound was the reasoning behind this "pressure"? The country, we believe, would be more interested in the arguments than in the technique of presenting them.

Some members of Congress have complained that the President is obliged to spend the money that the legislature appropriates, and that he is exceeding his authority by refusing to do so in this case. But Congress can hardly argue at this late date that all its appropriations are wise and necessary.

There is nothing sacred about a congressional decision to spend a few hundred millions if the spending is not needed. The important thing is whether Congress or the Defense Department has more logic on its side.

The whole controversy reveals a type of thinking that is unhappily typical of Washington. It is thinking bounded by the confines of the District of Columbia. Prestige and authority are the great interests at stake. The national welfare, so far as the public can discover, is a minor issue, if not a forgotten one.

The carrier decision was an example of unification with a vengeance. Yet it may be wondered if it did not represent a jump from one extreme to the other. Until Mr. Johnson took over there had been entirely too much bickering and jealousy among the three services. Now we find one man having the final word, which is right and necessary. But his final word carried with it no explanation.

The public should not ask the Defense Department to reveal its thinking on matters of top strategy. Nor should it expect any of the experts to be able to give a definite yes or no on whether a super-carrier would be a sitting duck or an indispensable weapon in the event of future war.

But there must have been earnest and detailed discussion of the matter among the Chiefs of Staff, the services secretaries, Mr. Johnson and the President. Surely some of the pros and cons could be revealed to the people who, after all, have a considerable stake in military decisions.

We are all for unification of policy, operation and public statement in the Defense Department. At the same time we should hate to see this unification include a sort of peace-time military censorship in which, as in the case of the carrier, decisions of national interest are summoned in two terse sentences, with no ifs, ands or buts.

Boyle's Column

**The Youngest Democrat
In A Divided House**

Lansing, Mich. — (P) — A young of democratic governor works all day at a wide desk here in a timeworn statehouse that looks across a lawn loud with robins.

He is 38-year-old G. Mennen Williams, whose friends regard him as a well-beloved young man. But he is acutely aware of the fact that in the last five months they have jettisoned most of his New Deal program.

For he works in a house divided. There is a broad river of dissent between the young governor and the republican-dominated legislature.

There are those who think Williams became "the miracle man of Michigan politics" last November when, solidly backed by labor, he defeated Kilgus by 163,854 votes.

But there are those, too, who think his victory merely reflected a decline in the popularity of Kilgus, who was seeking re-election.

The new governor has both class and mass appeal. He has been a political protégé of supreme court Justice Frank Murphy and he is an heir to the Mennen shaving soap fortune. He had to mortgage his home in Grosse Pointe, a salad suburb of Detroit, to pay his campaign expenses.

Williams is 6 feet 3 1/2 inches tall, friendly and easy going. He invariably wears a bow tie, an engaging grin—and a cowlick of stubborn dark hair.

When I went in to see him, I had a moment of wonder. The first flash of his smile was startlingly reminiscent of Franklin D. Roosevelt. Williams not only follows FDR's policies—looks like FDR's sons.

The governor is personally popular with the republican legislators, who regard him tolerantly as "a well-intentioned young man." But he is acutely aware of the fact that in the last five months they have jettisoned most of his New Deal program.

"This session has done practically nothing," he said. "About all we've gotten is some partial improvements in workmen's compensation and unemployment compensation."

"The republicans have sabotaged my program as a matter of policy. I guess we'll have to take it to the people."

The governor's term in office is two years in Michigan, and Williams has already indicated he will run when, solidly backed by labor, he again defeated Kilgus by 163,854 votes.

"This job can't be done in two years," he smiled. "But even if I win the popularity of Kilgus, who was seeking re-election, I'll have the same kind of a tea party."

Right now the young governor just laughs at talk of any national ambitions in his party.

"That's way in the background," he grinned. "I think I'll stick around here a long time."

BIRDS GO TO CHURCH
Ringsfield, England.—Preaching to birds as St. Francis of Assisi did would seem to be almost unavoidable at the local Anglican church. Robins have built a nest in the lectern.

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RUSSIAN CHANGING ATTITUDE IN EUROPE

Services in the Church

Centenary Methodist church, Rev. John W. Collins, minister. Church school 9:30 a. m., Mrs. Kenneth Walker, supt.; morning worship 10:45, sermon by pastor, "Loyalty to Mother," organ music by Miss Myrtle Larimore; special music by barbershop chorus of Harmony chapter, Everett Baldwin, director, special arrangements of "In the Garden" and "The Lord's Prayer," quartet composed of Jim Ransom, Jim Smith, Lowell Coker and Don Standridge will sing "Rock of Ages," with Gordon McClenaghan as soloists.

Salem Lutheran church, Missouri Synod, South East St., at Beecher Avenue. O. J. Klinkerman, pastor. Services 8 and 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible classes 9 a. m. The Lutheran College group meets Sunday evening, 6:30 at 845 S. East St. Monday, May 9th and Tuesday, May 10th the Junior Walther League will present their annual variety show at the church. Tuesday, May 10th, Adult Instruction class 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, May 11, choir rehearsal at 7:45 p. m. Thursday, May 12, Ladies Guild Spring Party with potluck supper at 6:30 p. m. Friday, May 13 board of education meeting 8 p. m.

Trinity Episcopal church, Church and State streets. Rev. R. M. Harris, rector. Holy Communion 8:00 a. m. Church school 9:40 a. m. Morning prayer 10:45 a. m. Servant theme. The Genius of Motherhood. T. S. C. at 6 p. m. College group at rectory 6:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at rectory on Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Boys club on Friday at 7:00 p. m.

Murrayville Methodist, Vincent H. VanHorn, minister. 9:30 church school. David Millon, supt.; 10:45 morning worship. Mother's Day will be observed with sermon addressed to the mothers. Solo, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," by Walter Goodwin, sung by Mrs. Ada F. Van Horn; 7:00 Youth Fellowship. This the last day of Family and Home Week and it is requested that wherever possible the entire family be present for the service.

Berea Methodist church, R. E. May minister. Sunday school at 9:30. Donald Plinn, supt. The morning worship at 10:30, will be special service dedicated to the mothers. The choir will sing two selections. Carolyn Martin will have a special part in the children's part of the service. Marian Stewart is the pianist. Lois Yancy and Rita Jean Nall will sing solos.

Grace Methodist church, Frank Marston, minister. Mrs. G. O. Webster, organist. Miss Mildred Eubank, choir director. Church school at 9:30 o'clock; John L. Conant, supt. Music by the orchestra. Special presentation of corsages to the youngest and oldest mothers present. Junior church at 10:45, directed by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bakeman. Picture sermon, "Jairus' Daughter," and piano solo by Robert Smith. Morning worship service at 10:45, with sermon by Dr. Marston. "The Glory of Motherhood." A trio composed of Mrs. R. M. Tomlin, Mrs. Hugh Green, and Mrs. C. R. Short, will render "I Shall Not Pass Again This Way," by Effinger, and "Teach Me To Pray," by Jewett. The choir will sing "Like As A Mother," by Dykes, with solo by Mrs. H. R. Covey. At 5:00 o'clock the Junior Youth Fellowship will meet in the chapel directed by Miss Jeannette Lane. The MYF will meet in the dining room of the church at 5:00 for a potluck supper. At 6:30, the Couples' Class will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Drake, 1016 S. Main, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Armstrong, and B. F. Hunter will meet this week and

Wesley Chapel Methodist church, W. Brook Martin, pastor. Morning worship 10:00 a. m. Sabbath school 10:45 a. m. Donald Richardson, supt. The auditing committee comprised of John Lazebny and Mrs. Robert Maxwell will meet this week and audit all treasurers' books.

Riggston Methodist church, W. Brook Martin, pastor. Sabbath school 10:00 a. m. Mrs. Roy Coultas, supt. The morning worship 11:00. The Nominate committee will meet at the parsonage Tuesday evening at 7:30. The auditing committee comprised of Hunter Funk and Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Nellie Daniels Gunn, Mr. W. C. Meeker, pastor emeritus, will assist, been more wise.

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By Hugh Lawrence Nelson

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"I'm a patient man," Harding said irritably, "but I detest hysterics. You women are all old enough to think for a moment before you indulge yourselves that way."

"But the graves," Agnes repeated.

"I told you there were large building operations here. There was much blasting necessary. Four workmen were killed, and buried."

"But the flowers? There are fresh flowers on one grave."

"Flowers? Oh, the fishermen of course. They're ignorant and superstitious. I even had a little trouble with them after the premature blast killed the men. Something about wanting a priest and hallowed ground. But it didn't pay to pamper. . . . But we're getting away from the point. There is no room or reason for fear here. There must be a mutual trust. One of you may join with me in beginning the Spence Island dynasty."

Agnes Firth drew herself up stiffly. "You've pointed out how old we are. Have you thought it might be a trifle late for us to help you in that project?"

Harding looked blank.

"Speak for yourself, honey," Lilly Warren said. "Just speak for yourself."

Agnes wilted. "I'd best get back to the sheep. I—I'm sorry I was so silly."

"Very well," Harding said. "And don't worry too much about the sheep. They know their way around."

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"I'll do the best I can," Miss Firth mumbled. She stumbled away.

Lilly Warren laughed. "What a gal. Can't make up her mind whether to be glad, sad or mad."

DURING the next days, life on Spence Island began to assume a routine without as yet attaining a form. There were some jolts in the shaking down process.

Lilly Warren, in the course of her duties, found underwear, night clothes, shoes and stockings among the supplies and handed them out according to her own ideas. Bea had no reason for complaint. Agnes accepted hers without question. Mabel Jones looked at hers and took them to Harding.

"Mrs. Warren's a poor judge of size," she said. "Couldn't I have some that fit?"

"Of course," he said. "There's

a wide choice in the storeroom."

"Mrs. Warren's choice isn't mine," Mabel said.

"Perhaps I'd better give her a little more personal supervision," Harding said.

"That'll be wonderful," Lilly said. She smiled sweetly at him, and let the smile curl at the edges when she looked at Mabel Jones.

Bea noticed Harding did spend more and more time with Lilly. She noticed, too, her roommate talked less and less at night.

Agnes Firth tended her sheep with an attention and grim determination which left her exhausted at the end of each day. At dinner one night she said, "I can't understand. I find the sheep the best grass. I drive them there. Then they won't eat, but wander away and start eating somewhere else."

She was so serious about it, Bea Cosgrove tried to inject levity.

"You should be used to that sort of thing from your former work."

"What do you mean?"

"Well," Bea said lightly, "a social service worker should be accustomed to the lack of interest her flock finds in the greener pastures she picks out for them."

HENRY HARDING thought that funny, but one glance at Miss Firth's stricken face made Bea sorry for her words. Agnes left the table abruptly, rushed from the room.

Mabel Jones worked hard in the garden, proved the truth of her statement about her green thumb. Under her interest and care the vegetables appeared to grow and fatten overnight.

Every morning Harding went to a small stone outbuilding, unlocked it, and turned the valve which sent the stream of water flowing through the pipe to the fishermen's camp. That accomplished to accurate timing, a further adjustment of valves sent water flowing through the intricate system of irrigation ditches in the fields.

Mabel Jones volunteered to take over the duty of tending the valves.

"No," Harding snapped. "I will tell you your duties. The water is mine to give as I see fit."

(To Be Continued)

Salesman Dozes At Wheel: Auto Badly Damaged

A root beer salesman from Springfield was badly shaken up and his Frazer automobile was wrecked in an accident about 7 o'clock Friday morning on U. S. Highway 67, south of the South Jacksonville consolidated school.

Andy Taras, 1235 North 8th street, Springfield, said he dozed at the wheel traveling north, losing control of the car. It ran from the pavement and collided head-on with a concrete abutment on the east side of the highway.

The automobile flopped over after ramming the abutment. Taras was able to crawl out of the overturned car and walk around the wreck. He was picked up by "Valter" Virgin of Manchester and taken to Our Saviour's hospital, where he was examined by Dr. Harold Norris.

Taras complained of an injury to his chest, and his face was scratched. He returned to the scene of the wreck later in the morning.

The accident occurred a short distance north of the place where Mrs. Earl Floreth and daughter Beverly Jo were fatally injured in a collision last Saturday night.

Sheriff Ralph Bourn and Deputy Eelen visited the scene of Friday morning's wreck.

The wrecked car was towed to the Lukeman garage.

CARROLLTON DELEGATE

Carrollton—Miss Betty Ann Siebmann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Siebmann, was named delegate from the local FHA chapter of the Carrollton high school to the FHA State camp at East Bay, Bloomington, August 2-6.

PROM AT CARROLLTON

Carrollton—The annual junior-senior banquet and prom will be held Saturday evening in the Carrollton school building. The banquet will be served by the mother's auxiliary. Following a short program, the remainder of the evening will be spent in dancing.

On Wedding Trip



MR. AND MRS. M. COOPER. Now on a wedding trip through the South are Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cooper, who were united in marriage on Sunday, May 1, in a double-ring ceremony which took place at Central Christian church. This was the last local wedding performed by the Rev. Roy S. Eulan.

The bride is the former Miss Betty McFarland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McFarland, rural route one, Jacksonville. Her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cooper of Lynville.

Upon returning from their wedding trip, the couple will make their home in this city.

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Mrs. Josephine Leach, 1102 S. Main street, is a surgical patient at Our Saviour's hospital.

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Mrs. L. R. Craig
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Electric Motor Causes Alarm

Firemen rolled out of their beds at 1:05 o'clock Friday morning to answer an alarm at the Clement cigar store, 221 North Main street where the room was filled with smoke.

Forcing open the rear door, the firemen found that an electric motor had gone haywire. There was no damage to the building.

MRS. FRED SPAULDING WILL ADDRESS CLUB

The regular meeting of the Concord Junior Woman's Club will be held on Tuesday evening, May 10, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Paul Nickel. Anyone still wishing to contribute shoes for the "Old Shoe Drive" contact Mrs. David Newby on or before the meeting.

The speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Fred Spaulding, public health nurse for Morgan county.

Burns Will Dedicate Waverly Legion Home

Waverly—The new American Legion memorial building will be formally dedicated next Tuesday evening, May 10, with State Commander William G. Burns delivering the dedicatory address. The ceremonies will take place at 8 p.m.

The building has been in use for several months as a community center and headquarters for the American Legion and Auxiliary.



WILLIAM G. BURNS

The dedicatory program has been announced as follows:

Presentation of Flags.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Song: "Star Spangled Banner"

Audience.

Invocation, Rev. Bronson N. Smith, Chaplain, Waverly American Legion Post No. 262.

Thirty Seconds Silence.

Music by Girls' Trio—Connie Hale, Peggy Powell, Joan Bowman.

Reading, Marian Smart.

Guitar Music, Billy Jones.

Music, Mrs. Norman Hulcher and Daughters, of Vardon.

Introduction of Special Guests.

George Vasconcellos, Commander District No. 29, Dr. Leonard Esper.

Past Department Commander, William G. Burns, Commander, The American Legion, Department of

Illinois.

Dedicatory Address, Commander William G. Burns.

Retirement of Colors.

Benediction.

William O. Watts, commander, Waverly Legion Post.

Curtiss L. Walls, Adjutant, Waverly Legion Post.

Mrs. Harold Lowery, President, Waverly Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. Chester Ashbaugh, Sergeant-at-Arms, Waverly Legion Auxiliary.

Myrtle Baldwin Named President Of Merritt WSCS

Mrs. Myrtle Baldwin was named president of the Merritt W.S.C.S. at the society's May meeting, held at the home of the Misses Ella and Georgia Hawk.

Other officers, who will assume their duties in June, are Mrs. Verona Berry, vice president; Mrs. Flora Rolf, treasurer; Mrs. Maria Reed, secretary; Mrs. Evelyn Longenbaugh, reporter; and Mrs. Rachel Snow, local church chairman.

The meeting opened with devotions, led by Mrs. Berry. Mrs. Rolf had charge of the lesson, the topic of which was "Making America a Christian Nation." A flower exchange was held for roll call.

Refreshments were served following the meeting. Mrs. Mattie Leach and daughter, Betsy, and Mrs. Lillie Breyer were guests.

The next meeting will be held June 7 at the home of Mrs. Maria Hardwick.

R.A.M. NOTICE

Regular meeting Jacksonville Chapter R.A.M. Monday night, May 9, 7 p. m. WORK.

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Peacetime veterans in Illinois, their dependents or beneficiaries who meet basic eligibility requirements, may obtain many of the federal benefits now provided for war veterans.

For the purpose of these benefits, a peacetime veteran is one whose military tour of duty did not include war-time service as defined by the various laws covering each benefit. The veteran must, in most cases, have a disability incurred in service.

He must have a discharge other than dishonorable for a full period of enlistment, or be discharged for a service-incurred disability.

Among the benefits provided by the government are medical and domiciliary treatment including hospitalization, out-patient medical and dental services and prosthetic appliances. Disability compensation is another benefit along with burial benefits and compensation for widows, children and dependents.

Peacetime veterans, their dependents or beneficiaries, who believe they are eligible for any of the benefits, can have the service officers of the Illinois Veterans Commission assist them in applying. In cases where applications have been denied the person seeking a benefit may file an appeal.

In Morgan county the Illinois Veterans Commission office is located at 6-7 Morrison Block in Jacksonville.

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James Looker of Arenzville and Hazel Osborne of Beardstown.
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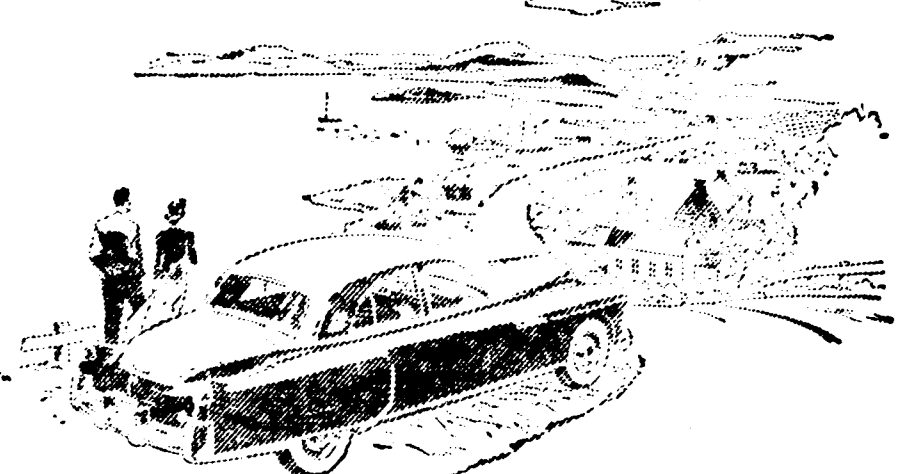
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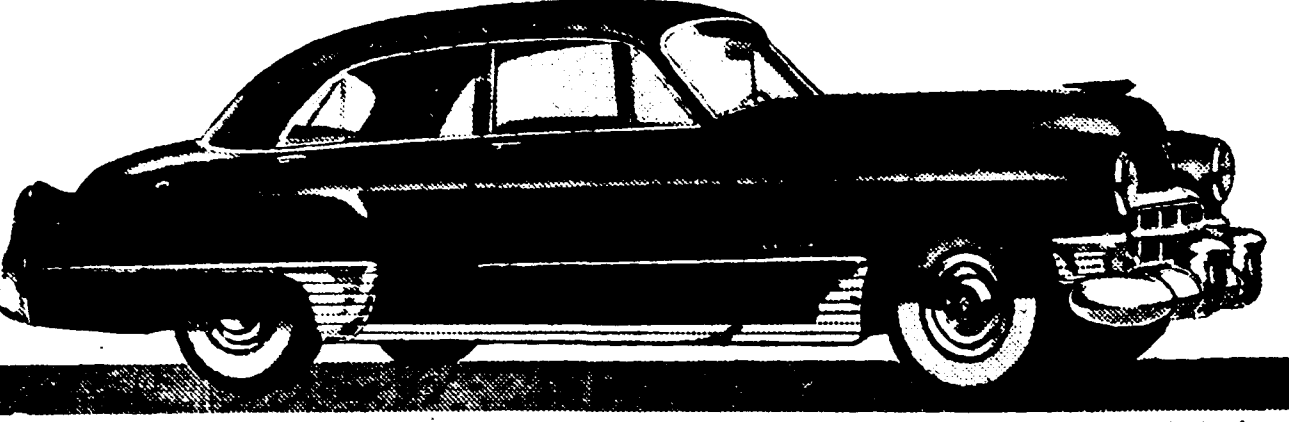
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Mother's, Teachers Honored By Girls At Junior High

Mother's Day was observed by the Christian Girls' club of David Prince Junior High school with a noon luncheon and program held in the school auditorium honoring mothers and faculty members.

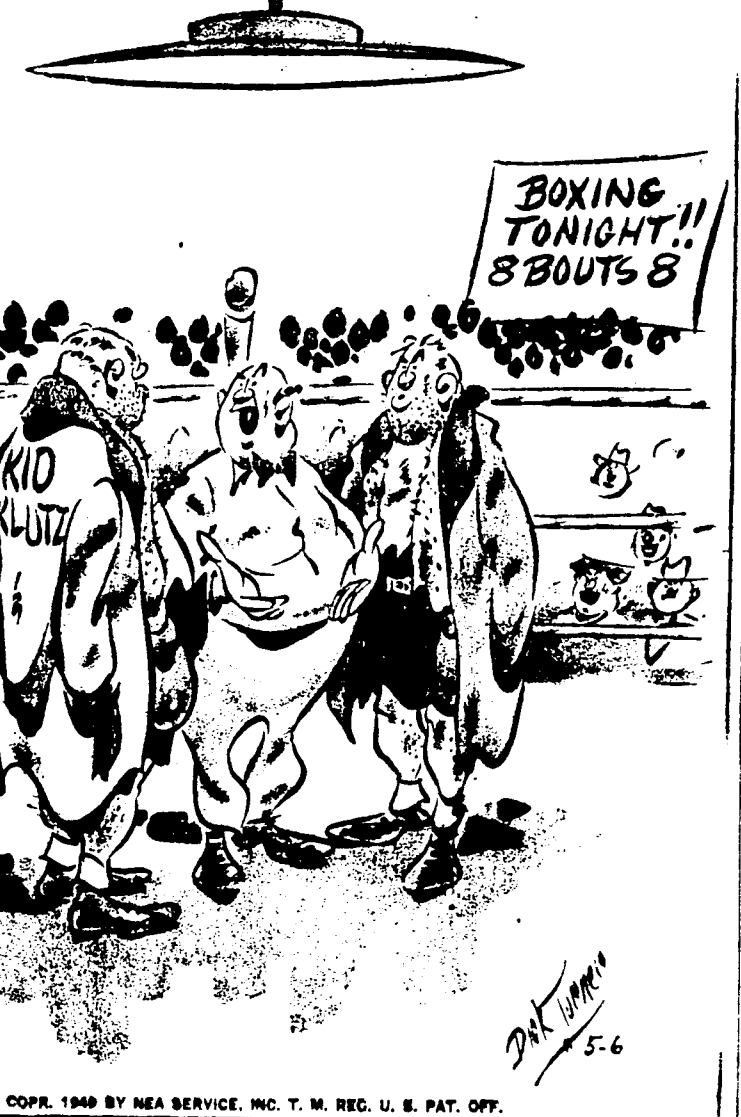
Sixty-five mothers and teachers were present. Each guest was presented with a potted plant.

The program was as follows: reading, "Mother's Day" by Wilma Dobbs; song, "Mother," by Carol Crawford, Ann Narenack, Prudy Moy, Virginia Lee Brown, Myrna Trone, Sally Gibson, Janet Dunlap, Wilma Dobbs, Barbara Lasley, Nancy Dutton and Sandra Baker; reading, "My Mother," by Marion Corey, accompanied by Charlotte Hoagland at the piano and Barbara Whalen on the violin; playlet, "Appreciation of Mother," Peggy Wells, Elizabeth Agger, Mary Lou Nierman and Charlotte Hoagland.

Frances Marshall and Virginia Brown served as announcers. Blanche Spall is adviser to the club.

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Jersey Co. Tops Goal For 1949 Cancer Campaign

Jerseyville—The Jersey County Cancer society has reported the final results of the drive for funds in this locality during April. According to reports the county exceeded the assigned quota by a considerable margin. The locality was given a quota of \$1045.94. Total receipts announced by officials of the drive were \$1808.41.

Gus F. Roth, principal of the Jerseyville Community High school, served as chairman of the drive. Mrs. Paul Erb was chairman of the township group and Mrs. Francis Munsterman served as chairman of the drive in the city of Jerseyville.

BAKE SALE
Rainbo Paper Store, Sat., May 7, 9 a. m. Strawn Crossing Women's Club.

SIDE GLANCES



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VA Fires 8,000: To Close 42 Offices In 23 States

Washington, May 6. —P— The Veterans Administration ordered 8,000 of its employees dismissed today.

The agency said it will close 42 offices in 23 states in an effort to meet budget limitations for the fiscal year 1950, starting July 1.

Veterans Administrator Carl R. Gray, Jr., said the reductions will not affect hospitals and medical services.

In a letter to members of Congress, Gray said every effort will be made to keep the essential services to veterans at a high level.

Gray said notices will be in the hands of the discharged employees as of Monday, giving them the customary 30-day notice.

The branches to be closed are known as "contact offices." There are 468 such offices employing one or two persons each. Their closing will account for less than 100 of the dismissals, the others coming out of bigger establishments.

Blanch Finner, Lifelong Exeter Resident, Dies

Mrs. Blanch Finner, lifelong Exeter resident, died Thursday at 11:45 p. m. at Our Saviour's hospital, following a short illness.

The decedent was the daughter of William and Ada Rankin and the wife of Frederick Finner.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, Rankin Heney Finner and Richard Magel Finner, both of Valparaiso, Ind., and three daughters, Mrs. Yetta Schultz of Roanoke, Va., Mrs. Lucille Tiel of Zion and Mrs. Oakie Lyle of Washington, Mo.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Exeter Methodist church, of which the decedent was a member. The Rev. Ralph Jasper will officiate. Burial will be in the Exeter cemetery.

The body is at the Danner Funeral Home in Winchester and will remain there until the time of service.

Local Delegates To Attend Young Adult Conference

Six young people from this community have been named as delegates to attend the Illinois Area Young Adult conference, to be held Saturday and Sunday, May 7 and 8, at the Y.M.C.A. building at the University of Illinois.

The delegates, Mary Jane Ore, Robert Ward, Beverly Stoddard, John Smith, Don Scupham and Virginia Lane, were appointed by the Young Adults group of the Y.M.C.A. Youth Center.

The conference will open with registration Saturday at 11 a. m., followed by a luncheon at 12:30 p. m. Headquarters will be at the Inman hotel in Champaign.

The speaker at both the opening and closing sessions will be Dr. James Hine, executive of the McKinley foundation and minister of the McKinley Memorial Presbyterian church at Champaign.

The theme of the conference will be "Life on the High C's." The theme will be carried out in the discussions, based on church, community, courtship and careers.

The discussion leaders and their topics are Wendell Walton, U. of I. Y.M.C.A., "Religion and Life Philosophy;" Dr. Richard Dewey, professor of sociology, University of Illinois, "Community Problems;" Mrs. Richard Jenkins of the Association of Family Living, "Courtship and Marriage;" and Dean Harold S. Dawson, director of the placement bureau, U. of I., "Life Vocation."

The conference is sponsored by the Young Adult Council of the Illinois Area Council of Young Men's Christian associations.

Simpson Goes Hawaiian



In appreciation of his efforts on behalf of Hawaiian statehood, Representative Sid Simpson of Carrollton, Ill., is presented a flower lei by George McLane, executive secretary of the Hawaii Statehood Commission. The lei, traditional symbol of friendship, was flown from the islands to Washington for the occasion.

Congressman Simpson introduced a bill in this Congress to make Hawaii a state. He recalled that an earlier Illinois legislator, Senator S. M. Cullom, played an important role in making Hawaii a part of the U. S. Just half a century ago, President McKinley appointed Cullom a member of a commission to recommend a form of government for the new territory. Sen. Cullom's bill laid the groundwork for Hawaii's present government. Congressman Simpson hopes to see Hawaii become the 49th state in '49.

Local Delegates Report On State B.P.W.C. Meeting

Interesting reports on the 28th annual convention of the Illinois Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., held April 21-24 in Chicago, were given by Mrs. Alice Applebee, Dr. Mary Louise Newman and Mrs. Alvalee McCarthy at the B.P.W.C. meeting held Thursday at the Dunlap hotel.

Outstanding among the convention speakers was the Hon. Margaret Chase Smith, senator from Maine. Miss Mary Donlon, lawyer and chairman of the workmen's compensation board of New York state, represented the national B.P.W.C. federation.

Dr. Mary Louise Newman, president, presided at Thursday's session. Guests were Mrs. Mary L. Weston, R.N., assistant hospital nursing consultant for the state department of public welfare, Mrs. Sheldon Brown of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mrs. Merle Milsagle of Jacksonville.

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Southpaws Display Best Mound Work In Games To Date

New York, May 6.—It looks as if the southpaw have it in the majors this season. Including yesterday's games, left-handed pitchers have been far superior to the righthanders. They've won 50 games and lost 32 for a .610 percentage.

The orthodox throwers have been charged with 89 losses while winning only 71 times. That's only a .444 average.

The southpaws have been extremely effective in the American League where they've won 28 and lost only 12. In the National they've captured 22 decisions to 20 defeats.

WHITE TO BLACK
In contrast to the snowy owl, which is black when young, there is the booby, a species of gannet, which grows from a snow-white fledgling into a black-plumed adult.

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NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE ESTATE OF LAURA J. GREEN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons that 6th day of June, 1949, is the claim date in the estate of Laura J. Green, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

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Markets At A Glance

New York, May 6.—(AP)—Stocks—Lower; leaders in slow decline.
Bonds—Lower; rails decline.
Cotton—Quiet; liquidation, light trade demand.

Chicago
Wheat—Strong; May sharply higher on short covering.
Corn—Firm; aided by wheat strength.
Oats—Firm; with other grains.
Soybeans—Firm; short-covering in May.
Hogs—Weak to 25 cents lower; top \$18.75.
Cattle—Mostly steady; choice absent.

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To Appear In Recital Sunday



Norma Jean Smith, soprano, and George Fox, baritone, both pupils of Mrs. Lois Harney Hardin, will appear in a recital Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Centenary Methodist church.
Both young people have studied under Mrs. Hardin for the past several years and are active in the music and drama departments of their respective schools and churches.
Miss Smith is a senior at the Winchester High school and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Smith of that city.
Fox is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox, 715 South Main street, and is a member of this year's graduating class at Jacksonville High school.
Their accompanist will be Miss Carmen N. Covey, who has gained recognition as a musician in her own right. She is a pupil of Hugh Beggs of MacMurray college.
Sunday's recital will be "O Lord Most Holy" (Panis Angelicus) by Caesar Franck, as the two soloists blend their voices, supported by Miss Covey on the piano, Charles Covey at the violin and Myrtle Larimore at the organ.
The public is cordially invited to attend.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, May 6.—(AP)—Hogs were weak to 25 cents lower today as marketing buttoned up for the weekend. Cattle were mostly steady; while sheep showed a dull tone on skimpy receipts.
Prices on good and choice barrows and gilts ranged from \$16.50 to \$18.75. The top reached \$18.75 sparingly. Sows were worth \$13.75 to \$16.25.
Medium and good steers and yearlings made \$22 to \$24.50 and medium to low-good heifers \$22 to \$23.50. A part-load of high-good mixed steers and heifers reached \$24.75. Beef cows topped at \$20, sausage bulls at \$22, and vealers at \$26. Choice feeder yearlings sold at \$25.50 and good feeder steers at \$24.
Southwestern springers grading medium and good brought \$27.50 for two decks, paid by local small killers. Heavy slaughter ewes sold between \$9 and \$9.50. Otherwise the run was mostly small lots inadequate for a price test.
Salable receipts included 6,000 hogs, 1,000 cattle, 200 calves, and 500 sheep.

East St. Louis Livestock

National Stockyards, Ill., May 6.—(AP)—USDA—Hogs 7,500; fairly active; market strong to 25 higher than Thursday's average; spots up 50 on sows; bulk good and choice 180-240 lbs 18.50 to mostly 18.75; top 19.00 for several loads, mostly 220 lbs down; 250-300 lbs 17.50-18.50; bunch around 450 lbs 16.00; 140-170 lbs 17.25-18.50; 100-130 lbs in light supply; odd lots 13.75-17.00; mostly 14.25 up; good sows 400 lbs down 15.50-16.75; few 17.00; over 400 lbs 13.75-15.50; stags 11.00-13.50.
Cattle 500; calves 600; trade moderately active and prices generally steady; high good mixed yearlings 25.00; medium and good largely 21.00-24.50; odd head good cows 19.50-20.00; common and medium, odd cows 17.50-19.00; canners and cutters 14.00-17.00; medium and good bulls 19.00-21.00; cutter and common bulls 17.00-18.00; vealers mostly steady; good and choice 23.00-28.00; choice largely 27.00-28.00.

New York Stock Market

New York, May 6.—(AP)—The stock market went into a dragging decline today.
A wide variety of key issues showed losses of fractions to more than a point, with some touching new lows for 1949 during the day.
Selling pressure was never severe but buying interest was stirred only by price concessions.
Limited business developed. Turnover was at the rate of around 750,000 shares for the full session, or close to the smallest of the week.
The demand stimulated by news the Berlin blockade would be lifted appeared to have died a day. The labor situation caused considerable discussion in the financial district, as well as Washington legislative maneuvers, and business prospects for the balance of the year.
On the losing side were American Telephone, Consolidated Edison, General Electric, Illinois Central, Standard Oil (N.J.), U. S. Steel, National Steel, Chrysler, Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, J. I. Case and Schenley.
Corporate bonds tended lower. U. S. governments moved narrowly in over-the-counter dealings.

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Routt Nine Drops 24-1 Contest To Arenzville Here

Paul Stroud's Routt baseball club, after playing a sterling game against the J.H.S. Crimmins Thursday afternoon and winning 10-9, succumbed to the Arenzville nine on the State Hospital field by a 24-1 count Friday p.m.

Billy Kauffman started the game for Stroud's crew, and stayed on the mound for the entire seven innings. He walked several men, but allowed only 7 hits. Rocket infield errors allowed many of the Arenzville runs.

The local nine collected a single hit off Arenzville pitcher Roeger. Flanagan bled in the seventh to count the lone Routt safety. Tony Cobb scored the single local run when Roeger was seized with a fit of wildness in the second stanza.

ESTATE OF SADEE W. BAYHA, Deceased.

State of Illinois,
County of Morgan
In the County Court in Probate.
Notice of Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will—for Publication.
April 28, 1949.
To Unknown Heirs of Sadie W. Bayha, deceased, who was at the time of her death a resident of City of Jacksonville, County of Morgan State of Illinois.
You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, for the probate of the Will of Sadie W. Bayha, deceased, and that the hearing said petition has been set by said court for the 2nd day of June, 1949, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in Jacksonville in said County, when and where you can appear, if you see fit and show cause, if any you have why said Will should not be admitted to probate.
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Carrollton Tracksters Win At Roodhouse To Keep Ivy League Crown

The Carrollton high school tracksters won their 21st annual Illinois Valley track meet yesterday afternoon as they raced off with the second win in as many years in that annual event.

The Hawk tracksters accumulated a total of 613 points to retain their Ivy League crown. Roodhouse, their most serious competitor, placed second with 414 tallies. Jerseyville, 351; White Hall, 331; Pittsfield, 18; Greenfield, 12; Pleasant Hill, 6; and Winchester, 1; finished in that order.

Individual high honors were split between two boys during the afternoon. Bob Brannan of Carrollton topped first in the 440 and 100 yard dashes and Bennett Roodhouse, White Hall husky, gained top honors in both the shot put and discus events.

Although both these lads garnered the most firsts, Dick Ridings of Carrollton, slipped through with the most points when he counted second place in the shot put and discus and then came through with a first in the low hurdles to chalk up a grand total of 13 points.

One record was smashed. The White Hall freshman-sophomore relay team circled the 440 yard distance in 51.1 seconds to break a previous record held by the Roodhouse youngsters.

The Summary:— Zimmerman, P. Huton, R.; Boe, C.; Barton, P.H. 16.5 Shot put—Roodhouse, W.H.; Ridings, C.; G. Staples, C.; Beard, P. 46.5 Pole vault—Staples, C.; Barnard, W.H.; Ballard, R.; Logan, P. 11 ft. 9 in. 100 yard dash—Brannan, C.; Mehrhoff, C.; Bridgwater, J.; Crabtree, R. 10.7.

1 mile—Carr, J.; Willis, W.H.; Kallal, J.; Rutledge, P. 5:02.3. Discus—Roodhouse, W.H.; Ridings, C.; Beard, P.; Anderson, W.H.; 119 ft. 3 1/2 in. 440

Former Yank Stops New Yorkers 6 To 2 As White Sox Win

Chicago, May 6—(P)—Lefty Bill Wright, who used to belong to the New York Yankees, pitched a seven-hitter for the Chicago White Sox today to stop his old mates, 6-2. The result pulled the Sox out of a three-game losing spin and snapped a three-game Yankee win streak.

Just to make it stick, Wright, an .082 hitter in 1948, knocked in three runs with a double off Frank Shea in the second inning. Shea loaded the bases after two were out with singles to Cass Michaels and Don Wheeler and a walk to Floyd Baker.

Shea, making his first start after two relief appearances, was wild. He lasted only five innings, giving up all six runs on six hits and five walks during his stay.

Gordy Goldsberry produced a run in the third inning when he tripled and scored on Luke Appling's liner to center. Dave Philley tapped Shea for the final pair in the fifth with a double following a pair of walks.

Wright, who came to the Sox February, 1947, in a deal for Eddie Lopat, held the Yanks hitless until the fifth when Jack Phillips led off with a single.

A ground rules double by Cliff Maves and an infield out scored Phillips to break the shutout. Gerry Coleman's single to left drove home Maves.

The Yanks threatened in the ninth when a walk to pinchhitter Hank Bauer and singles by pinch hitter Charley Silveira and Phil Rizzuto loaded the bases. Johnny Lindell hit into a double play to end the game.

New York000 020 000—6 8 0 Chicago031 020 000—6 8 0 Shea, Hiller (6), Marshall (7) and Berra; Wright and Wheeler, LP—Shea.

Braves Triumph Over Reds 6 To 1

Boston, May 6—(P)—Lefty Warren Spahn pitched a fifty-four hitter tonight in leading the National League leading Braves to a 6-1 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds. A paid audience of 22,332 saw Spahn twirl shutout ball until after the first batter had been retired in the ninth.

Hank Sauer spoiled Spahn's shutout by belting his third run of the season in the last inning.

Spahn struck out eight of the Reds and walked only two. Cincinnati000 000 001—1 4 2 Boston002 012 100—6 11 1 Raffensberger, Howell (7) and Mueller; Spahn and Masi. Homers—Cincinnati—Sauer, Boston—Sisti. Losing pitcher—Raffensberger.

Phillies Defeat Pirates 4 To 3

Philadelphia, May 6—(P)—The Philadelphia Phillies knocked Elmer Riddle out of the box in less than three innings with four runs and then held on to defeat the Pittsburgh Pirates 4-3 tonight. Ralph Kiner accounted for two of the Pirates runs with a fourth-inning homer.

The Phils nipped Riddle for three runs in the first inning and added another in the third. Pittsburgh000 201 000—3 9 0 Philadelphia031 000 000—4 10 0 Riddle, Werle (3) and Fitz Gerald; Meyer and Seminick. Homers—Pittsburgh—Kiner, Losing pitcher—Riddle.

Yesterday's Results

National League
Boston, 6; Cincinnati, 1
Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburgh, 3
Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 2
New York, 3; St. Louis, 0

American League
Washington, 8; St. Louis, 7
Chicago, 6; New York, 2
Philadelphia, 5; Detroit, 4 (13 innings)

(Only games scheduled.)

WHERE THEY PLAY



New York, May 6—(P)—Probable pitchers for tomorrow's major League games (won and lost records in parentheses)

American Legion
New York at Chicago—Porterfield (0-0) vs. Gettel (0-2)
Washington at St. Louis—Scarborough (1-2) vs. Masters (1-0) vs. Starr (0-3)
Philadelphia at Detroit—Brissie (3-0) vs. Hutchinson (0-1)
Boston at Cleveland—Parnell (3-0) vs. Lemon (2-1)

National League
Cincinnati at Boston—Lively (1-0) vs. Voiselle (1-0)
Chicago at Brooklyn—Rush (1-2) vs. Branca (4-0)
St. Louis at New York—Brehnen (2-1) vs. Hartung (3-0)
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia—Gregg (0-0) vs. Chambers (1-1) vs. Rowe (1-0)

Baseball Standings

New York, May 6—(P)—Major league standings, including tonight's games:

	N	L	Pct.
Boston	11	6	.647
New York	10	7	.588
Brooklyn	9	8	.529
Philadelphia	9	9	.500
Chicago	7	8	.467
St. Louis	7	8	.467
Cincinnati	7	9	.438
Pittsburgh	6	11	.353

	N	L	Pct.
New York	13	4	.765
Cleveland	8	4	.667
Detroit	9	6	.600
Chicago	9	6	.600
Philadelphia	9	9	.500
Boston	6	8	.429
Washington	7	11	.389
St. Louis	3	14	.177

The Big 6

By the Associated Press
(Three leaders in each league)

Player, Club G A R H Pct.
Kazak, Cardinals, 16 53 13 23 .442
Campanella, Dodg., 17 57 13 23 .404
DiMaggio, Red Sox 12 50 11 20 .400
Goth, Tigers16 57 12 22 .385
Hertz, Tigers16 59 12 22 .373
W. Walker, Cubs14 53 9 19 .358

Home Runs:

	N	L	Pct.
Gordon, Giants	6	6	.500
Mize, Giants	6	6	.500
Reese, Dodgers	4	4	.500
Campanella, Dodgers	4	4	.500
Ennis, Phillies	4	4	.500
Livingston, Giants	4	4	.500
Torgerson, Braves	4	4	.500

	N	L	Pct.
Stephens, Red Sox	6	6	.500
Graham, Browns	6	6	.500
Groth, Tigers	6	6	.500
Gordon, Indians	5	5	.500
Vollmer, Senators	5	5	.500

Runs Batted In:

	N	L	Pct.
Campanella, Dodgers	16	15	.516
Ennis, Phillies	15	15	.500
Torgerson, Braves	15	15	.500
Reese, Dodgers	14	14	.500

	N	L	Pct.
Stephens, Red Sox	21	21	.500
Williams, Red Sox	21	21	.500
Groth, Tigers	19	19	.500

K. Of C. To Fete Cate Teams Sunday

"Easy Ed" McCauley, St. Louis University case star, will speak to the Our Saviour's and Rount basketball teams at their annual banquet Sunday evening.

This yearly event is again sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. The fried chicken dinner will start at 6:30 p.m. and festivities will conclude with McCauley's address.

Local basketball fans are invited to attend the banquet. Tickets may be purchased from any K. of C. member.

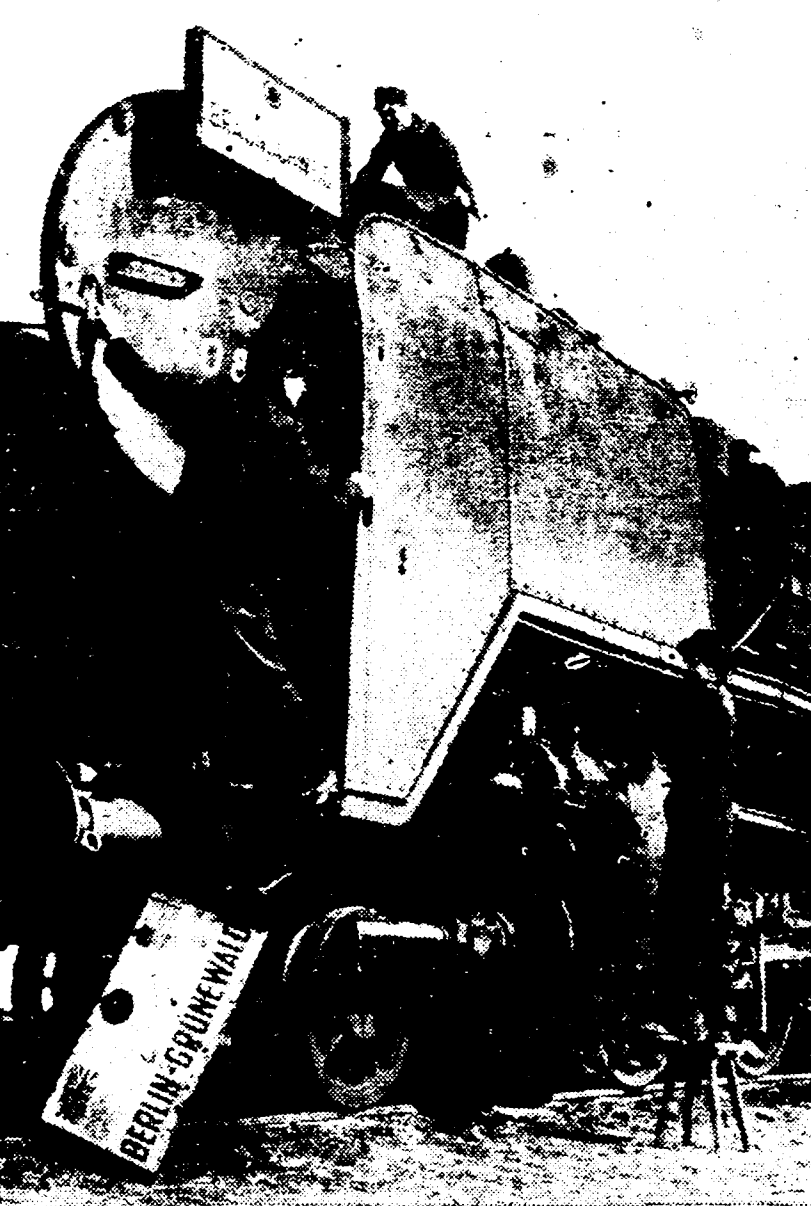
ROBESON REDUCES PRICES
Gateshead, Eng., May 6—(P)—Paul Robeson said tonight that from now on he will charge only 20 to 40 cents for most of his concerts.

He's also going to give free recitals.

"That is my idea for as long as I live," the American Negro baritone told newsmen after singing at a free concert for the working man here.

Rummage sale back of jail
May 13. American Legion Auxiliary.

Berliners Tune Up Rolling Stock



A German rail crew overhauls a locomotive that has been idle in Berlin since the clamping down of the Russian blockade of the city over a year ago. If present Soviet-U. S. negotiations are successful, railway stock will be ready to roll again a few hours after the blockade is lifted.

Weather Man Upsets Predictions As Derby Favorites Stand By

By Gayle Talbot
Louisville, Ky., May 6—(P)—The weather man jumped squarely into the Kentucky Derby picture with both muddy feet today. In a matter of minutes the entire complexion of tomorrow's three-year-old classic at Churchill Downs was altered.

With a confident prediction that scattered showers and thunderstorms will break a three-day heat spell and soak the historic strip during the next 24 hours, the forecaster abruptly made a horse race out of the weather.

500 romp for the "Big" horse, Fred Hooper's Olympia.

It is strongly suspected that the favorite does not like heavy going, the experts quickly revised their estimates and decided it will be a "wide-open" race. Four of five horses moved up as potential challengers to the Hooper speedster in the mile and a quarter run for the res.

Palestine Now In Picture
Probably happiest at the prospect of a sloppy track were the backers of the second favorite, Isidor Bieber's Palestinian, which almost nipped Olympia in the rainy Wood Memorial two weeks ago and apparently failed to do so only because he jumped a puddle just before the finish.

Fourteen entries had just been dropped into the secretary's box with Olympia listed at odds of 6-5 and Palestinian second choice at 5-1.

—based on the prospect of a fast track—when the weather forecast was posted. It was predicted that those figures will be vastly altered by the pari-mutuel bettors if they see the track glistening with mud before post time at 4:30 p.m. CST tomorrow.

Greenree stable's entry of Capot and Wine List was temporarily installed third choice at 6-1. Mr. Royce Martin's Halt, which scored a victory over three other Derby horses in the Blue Grass stakes at Keeneland a week ago, was fourth at 8-1.

Only 12 May Start
Should it rain hard, only 12 of the 14 entries are likely to start. Both Mrs. Albert Roth, owner-trainer of the longshot Seneca, Coin, and Monte Parks, trainer of Johns Joy, announced that their hopefuls would sit it out in the event of mud.

Johns Joy has been well liked at 12-1.

Model Cadet, owned by Mrs. Ada Rice and trained by the veteran Tom Smith, would gain considerable prestige from a heavy track. He is an out-and-out mud horse. Ky Colonel, a 20-1 choice, also is supposed to revel in sloppy going.

Old timers who know the Downs track well declare that only a heavy rain within an hour or two of post time will make the strip really sticky, as it dries out rapidly. Olympia's chances of going out in front and staying there, as he likes to do, will soar by the minute if the sun beats down during the afternoon.

Purse Is Third Largest
If the entire field of 14 starts the winning purse of \$91,000 will be the third largest in the 75-year history of the three-year-old classic. Assault won \$96,400 in 1946, and Jet Pilot \$92,160 in '47.

Eddie Arcaro, seeking a record-breaking fifth Derby victory aboard Olympia, will be in excellent position to shoot the broad-beamed favorite into the lead as the field thunders past the grandstand the first time. He drew the number 4 post position.

Jacks Town drew No. 1, Ponder No. 2, Ky. Colonel No. 3, Old Rockport No. 5, Model Cadet No. 6, Johns Joy No. 7, Seneca Coin No. 8, Capot No. 9, Halt No. 10, Lexington No. 11, Wine List No. 12, Palestinian No. 13 and Duplicate No. 14. Lexington and Seneca Coin were coupled in the mutuel field at 50-1.

\$5,000,000 Fire Razes West Coast Race Track
Inglewood, Calif., May 6—(P)—Hollywood Park, one of America's most lavish race tracks, was razed by a \$5,000,000 fire early today but some 600 thoroughbred horses were spared.

The fire started in the swank clubhouse of the multi-million dollar plant and leaped, within minutes, through the grandstand and turf club. A Hollywood turf club spokesman said the loss was covered by insurance.

One fireman was seriously injured. Some three hours after the blaze was first reported at 11 p. m., it was under control.

The disastrous fire dealt a death blow to Hollywood Park's meeting, scheduled to start May 17. Track general manager Jack Mackenzie could not be reached for comment, but Santa Anita park quickly offered its facilities for the season.

KILLED BY SLATE SLIDE
Taylorville, Ill., May 6—(P)—William McLeod, 48, coal miner, was killed today by a fall of slate in mine 9 of the Peabody Coal Co. at nearby Langleville.

The largest maneuvers ever conducted in Alaska by U. S. Navy and Marine forces involved 40 ships and some 18,000 men.

J.H.S. Invitational Track Meet Starts Today
Nineteen crack high school track delegation will continue on out to the field before the afternoon events get underway.

Havana's Ducks are the defending champions in this giant meet. The local high school and Beardstown premise to provide the most formidable opposition to the champs today.

Athletics Take 13 Inning Game From Detroit 5-4

Detroit, May 6—(P)—Rookie left-hander Bob Shantz, who only last Monday was farmed out by the Philadelphia Athletics, held the Detroit Tigers to one run and two hits in a 10-inning relief performance to give the A's a 5-4 win in 13-innings today.

Shantz was sent to Buffalo of the International league last Monday, but when a couple of injuries cropped up on the A's pitching staff he was recalled Tuesday.

He took over in the fourth inning today after the Tigers had scored three runs and kayoed Connie Mack's starting pitcher, Carl Scheib. There was none out when Shantz came on the scene and he trailed 3-1.

The 23-year-old Shantz pitched no-hit, no-run ball against the Detroiters for nine full innings and the A's came up with two runs in the eighth to make it a 3-3 game for him.

Shantz and the veteran Paul Trout, who relieved May Newhouse during the A's eighth inning uprising, duelled on fairly even terms until the 13th.

Then with one away, Sam Chapman singled for the A's.

Connie Mack, who had made one good selection in relief pitcher Shantz, dug into his reserves again and came up with another in the person of pinchhitter Wally Moses.

He slammed a two-run homer into the right field stands to make it a 5-3 game. Philadelphia000 100 020 000—2—5 14 1 Detroit000 000 000 000—1—4 6 1 (Thirteen Innings)

Scheib, Shantz (4) and Guerra, Rosar (13); Newhouse, Trout (8) and Robinson, Swift (9).

Homers: Pha—Moses, Det. Wertz WP—Shantz, LP—Trout.

Rescuers Reach Trapped Miners; All Four Dead

Girardville, Pa., May 6—(P)—Four miners were found dead today after rescue workers battled 48 hours to reach them in an anthracite shaft filled with smoke and fumes from an underground fire.

The four bodies were discovered 600 feet below the surface, close together in a tunnel running off the main shaft.

Deputy Coroner John Cook said apparently they died shortly after the fire broke out last Tuesday night in the No. five colliery of the Gilbert Coal Company.

Joseph Kupulis, who led the five-man rescue crew which found the bodies, said there were indications the four men had walked up a sloping tunnel from the mine's 800-foot level and then collapsed.

The bodies were some distance from the nearest compressed air line, Kupulis said. Earlier, rescuers had attached three compressors to the shaft's air lines, hoping the trapped men would open a valve and obtain life-giving oxygen.

All four bodies were brought to the surface within two hours after their discovery. The four were William Kelly, 49, Joseph Wovak, 34, both of Shenandoah, Pa.; Raymond Eye, 35, and William O'Brien, 53, Girardville.

Sec. Of Commerce Sawyer Denies He Will Resign Post

Washington, May 6—(P)—Charles Sawyer observed his first anniversary as secretary of commerce today—and found himself senior in service already to four of his eight cabinet colleagues.

Despite many rumors in recent months that he would resign, Sawyer has said publicly that he feels President Truman has a tremendous load to carry, and that he is willing to stay on as long as Mr. Truman wants him—or to leave any time Mr. Truman wants that.

Friends doubt, however, that Sawyer would care to stay away much more than a couple of years from his considerable business interests.

He acquired those interests while building up a fortune as a Cincinnati lawyer.

ELECT MISS MASON SODALITY PREFECT
Janice Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Mason, 325 East College avenue, a junior at the College of St. Francis, Joliet, was elected prefect of the Sodality of Our Lady for the 1949-50 term.

Miss Mason was treasurer of the Sodality for the past year. As prefect, she will crown the statue of Our Lady in the annual May Crowning ceremonies next year. Sodality also sponsors the annual retreat and vocation day held in the spring.

Miss Mason is secretary-treasurer of the Glee Club. She also holds membership in Theta Chi Sigma, Sociology Club, W.A.A., and Cecilia Choir. A prospective teacher, her field of concentration is sociology.

KILLED IN CRASH
Taylorville, Ill., May 6—(P)—Leopold Masset, 33, of nearby Stonington, was killed last night when his automobile crashed into drainage ditch west of Assumption. Masset's body was discovered by a passing motorist.

POSTPONE TREATY
Lake Success, May 6—(P)—The United Nations voted today to postpone until next September the drafting of an international treaty on freedom of information.

Moose Nine Opens Slate Sunday Afternoon By Playing Havana Club

The Jacksonville Moose baseball club kicks the lid off its 1949 Illinois Valley League campaign this Sunday afternoon when it plays host to the Havana nine at Illinois College's Russell field park.

The game, which is scheduled to get underway at 2:30 p.m., marks the local outfit's first attempt at participation in this very fast semi-pro Illinois loop.

Win Exhibition Game
The Moose nine played an exhibition tilt last Sunday in preparation for this league opener. They had little trouble in downing the Twin-Basket nine, also of this city, 17 to 3.

Glenn Williams, Lefty Allen and Farrell Mitchell did the twirling for the Moose club and will probably pitch the first three innings.

New York Giants Shutout Cardinals In 3-0 Contest
New York, May 6—(P)—Montie Kennedy throttled the St. Louis Cardinals' left-handed power today, pitching a 3-0 shutout to give the New York Giants their fourth straight victory.

Kennedy's second winning effort of the season was a fine six-hitter that kept the Cards in check throughout the afternoon.

Bobby Thomson's double off the left field wall, following singles by Whitey Lockman and Johnny Mize, produced the first run off Jim Hearn in the first inning.

Hearn matched Kennedy in a tight duel until the sixth when he lost control and hit Sid Gordon on the back with a pitched ball. Mize followed with his fourth homer, a drive into the lower right field stands to end the scoring.

St. Louis000 000 000—0 6 0 New York001 002 000—3 5 0 Hearn, Pollet (7) and Rice; Kennedy and Cooper.

HRH: NY—Mize, LP—Hearn.

T. Deuel Elected President Of State Science Academy

Galesburg, Ill., May 6—(P)—Thorne Deuel of the state museum, Springfield, today was elected president of the Illinois State Academy of science.

Other officers elected at the academy's 42nd annual meeting, held at Knox college in Galesburg, were:

Percival Robertson, Principia college, first vice president; Leiland Shanor, University of Illinois, secretary; Wilbur Grimm, Bradley university, treasurer; Dorothy E. Rose, State Geological Survey, editor; Harry J. Fuller, University of Illinois, collegiate section coordinator, and George S. Porter of J. Sterling Morton high school, Cicero, junior academy representative.

'Cat Burglar' Says He Entered 100 St. Paul Homes
St. Paul, Minn., May 6—(P)—Police today disclosed the books kept by an 18-year-old "cat burglar" who admits he amassed \$1,500 in bonds and was "saving up" for a \$3,000 convertible when caught.

Charles J. Tierney, police chief, said so far Norbert J. Hoffman has pointed out to officers nearly 100 St. Paul homes he prowled in a crime campaign that started when the youth was 13 years old.

William Hoffman, the youth's father was stunned. A railroad machinist, he had worked nights so he could use the days to organize sports for neighborhood youths as part of the city's drive against juvenile delinquency. Mrs. Hoffman died about a year ago.

Hoffman was caught because of the equipment that brought him the "Cat" sobriquet. A young woman in a neighborhood the youth had "worked" thought it was funny when she saw him going down a street wearing white gloves and tennis shoes. Police were called, caught up with Hoffman and he confessed. He is held without charge.

12 PERSONS ATTEND MEETING OF S.C. NEIGHBORS CLUB

Nine members and three guests, Mrs. George Burmeister, Mildred Mason and Joan Hopper, were present at the meeting of the S. C. Neighbors club, held at the home of Mrs. William Hull, northeast of the city.

Bunco was played, with prizes being won by Mrs. Reat Moody, high. Mrs. Burmeister, second, and Mrs. Dwight Hopper, third. Mildred Mason won first prize for children.

At the close of play, refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be a one o'clock luncheon June 14 at the home of Mrs. Dwight Hopper.

BONUS CHECKS

Chicago, May 6—(P)—Two hundred Illinois soldier bonus checks worth a total of \$10,000 were mailed yesterday. To date the state has paid \$309,607,350.62 among 420,589 veterans from downstate and 432,599 from Cook county.

ADVERTISE—IT PAYS

Schmitz And Cubs Down Brooklyn In 4 To 2 Fray

Brooklyn, May 6—(P)—Chicago's Johnny Schmitz, who beat Brooklyn six times last season, whipped the Dodgers tonight, 4-2, in his first appearance against them this year. The Cubs pounded three Brooklyn pitchers for 11 hits, including a second inning home run by Al Walker. The first night game of the season here drew 30,041.

The Chicago left-hander held the Brooks to one hit through the first five innings, a single by Carl Furillo, but the roof almost fell in after two were out in the ninth.

Schmitz had a three-hitter working with two out and two strikes on Billy Cox when the Dodger third baseman laced a single. Gil Hodges followed with a double to the right field corner, scoring Cox, and the middle to bring Hodges home. But pinch hitter Eddie Miksis bounce ed into a force play to end the game.

Chicago010 030 000—4 11 1 Brooklyn000 000 002—2 6 0 Schmitz and A. Walker; Barney, Palica (6), Minner (9) and Campanella.

Homers: Chl.—A. Walker, LP—Barney.

Provincial Police Arrest Strikers In Asbestos Plant

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WASH TUBS
By LESLIE TURNER

I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, EASY. I'LL COME WITH YOU.
SCRAM, YOU WET BLANKET, OR I'LL THROW YOU OUT! NOBODY WANTS TELLING MY PAL NOT TO DRINK!
C'MON, SHORTY! WELL—UGH!
AND WHAT A PAL YOU ARE. ENCOURAGING AN ALCOHOLIC WHO WANTS TO QUIT. TO TAKE ANOTHER DRINK!
I DON'T KNOW WHAT CAME OVER ME, EASY. TODAY I HAD BEGUN TO FEEL PRETTY CONFIDENT, BUT NOW—
NEXT TIME MIGHT NOT END SO LUCKILY, GIG! WE'D BETTER TALK TO BEN TONIGHT!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES
By EDGAR MARTIN

WELL, JEEP MAY BE INNOCENT—AND MAYBE NOT! MAYBE IT WAS ROSIE'S FAULT! MAYBE!
ALL I'M SURE OF IS THAT MY BOY BUSINESS IS DUE FOR A HOUSE-CLEANING!
WHAT DID YOU SAY, PUG?
I SAID I WAS GOING TO—TO DO—SOME H-HOUSE-CLEANING!
SWELL! I CAN REALLY USE SOME HELP! LET'S GO!

ALLEY OOP
By V. T. HAMLIN

WE FIGGERED YOU WAS GONNA BRING US BACK INTO THE TWENTIETH CENTURY ANY MORE?
SHUCKS, I MISS YOU KIDS, ESPECIALLY WHEN IT GETS DULL AROUND THE LAB.
NO, BUT OSCAR'S WORKING ON A LULU...
YOU'VE NO NEW PROJECTS?
SO WE'LL GO SPEND A FEW DAYS WITH HIM... THEN ON DOWN TO THE LAND OF FLOWERS FOR A WHILE!
I COULD DO WITH A VACATION. HOW ABOUT YOU?
SURE... YOU BET!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS
By MERRILL BLOSSER

BUT HILDA SAID—
SHE'S JUST GUESSING. I REFUSE TO BELIEVE LARD WOULD BRING HOME A FRENCH MAID!
EVEN A RADIO GIVE-AWAY PROGRAM HAS TO DRAW THE LINE SOMEWHERE!
OR DOES IT?
HERE THEY COME! THERE'S SOMEBODY EXTRA WITH THEM, BUT I CAN'T TELL WHO!
WE'LL HAVE TO BE BRAVE AND HOPE FOR THE BEST!

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I HOPE PORKY DON'T MIND... HAW!
CAN GOLDFISH WALK, PORKY?
CERTAINLY NOT, CICCRO! DON'T BE SILLY!
YER ANCHOR'S DRAGGIN' KID!
WELL, SOMETHING HAPPENED TO THE ONE I LEFT ON THE KITCHEN TABLE... IT'S GONE!
U-URK!

VIC FLINT
By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

RUM THING, WHAT? THAT CHANNEL BLIGHTER KNOCKING ME DOWN AND CHASING THAT FELLOW INTO THE RIVER.
FRANKLY, BASCOM, I'M GETTING SICK OF IT. WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?
THEY WERE SEEN BY THE TOWN BRIDGE... THAT'S RIGHT.
FIND OUT WHAT THE TROUBLE IS AND BRING THEM IN FOR QUESTIONING... ESPECIALLY BUGS BATSON.
YOU'VE TRIED TO BUY POND'S HOUSE, YOU'VE SEARCHED IT FROM CELLAR TO ROOFTOP. WHAT'S THE NEXT MOVE, FOG?
IF I WAS ABSOLUTELY SURE THAT WHAT I'M AFTER WAS IN THERE, I'D SET A TORCH TO THE PLACE, ROSSUM!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE
With MAJOR HOOPLES OUT OUR WAY
By J. R. WILLIAMS

EGAD, FRIEND! WE ARE INDEED FAVORS OF FATE! IN A DREAM DAME FORTUNE IMPARTED TO ME THE NAME OF THE KENTUCKY DERBY WINNER, THEN FLITTED AWAY! WHEN I AWOKE—HAK-KAFF!—I COULD NOT REMEMBER THE NAME!
THE SAME DAME DUMPED ME ON THIS BENCH TOO, CHUM!—I SAW THE PANIC COMING BACK IN 1929, SO I HID ALL MY DOUGH IN A CANE. THEN GOT AMNESIA! ANY CAVES IN THIS LOCALITY?
GET THAT THING OUT OF HERE QUICK! BURN IT—TAKE IT HOME—BUT GET IT OUT OF HERE!
WHAT'S THIS SUDDEN DASHIN' IN ON TH' NIGHT SHIFT? WHY THAT CHAISE LOUNGE HE'S USED IT FOR A YEAR—EVERYBODY HAS SEEN IT!
I GUESS HE'S BEEN TO A MOVIE AN' FOUND IT AIN'T AN OFFICE—SOFA BUT A CUTIE ROOST FOR BON-BON BINGERS—I'D HATE TO BE THAT SHOP BUYER!

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Clifton Utley Speaks On Communist Threat At Lions Celebration

"America cannot afford to stand pat and allow Russia or any other world power to extend its conquest over the European continent," Clifton M. Utley told assembled Lions and their wives at the club's 25th anniversary banquet held last night. Mr. Utley spoke before a group of about 200 people at the Masonic Temple, choosing "The Road Ahead," a European analysis, as his subject.

Winchester Church Societies Select Officers Friday

Winchester—The Missionary society and the Ladies Aid of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Francis Schaefer Friday afternoon.

Officers of the Missionary Society were elected as follows: Mrs. Oren Robertson, president; Miss Bertha Miner, vice president; Mrs. O. C. C. Smith, secretary; Mrs. Mark Peak, assistant secretary.

Officers of the Ladies Aid are: Mrs. Mildred Clark, president; Mrs. Audrey Peak, vice president; Helen Carlton Smith, secretary; Mrs. Mark Peak, assistant secretary; Mrs. Mary Smith, treasurer.

The program was given by the department chairman. Nineteen members were present.

Mrs. Mildred Clark, Mrs. Nora Bean, and Mrs. Joe Montgomery assisted the hostess with the serving of refreshments.

Plan Summer Recreation

At a meeting of the committee in charge of the summer recreation program for the young people of Winchester held last Tuesday evening, the committee selected to work directly with Mr. Pittinger is composed of L. A. Watt, B. F. Walker, and M. F. Fullmer. The program will begin on June 20 and will continue for two months. Every effort is being put forth to have a wholesome recreational program, but much volunteer help will be needed if a complete program is to be put into effect.

Home Bureau Meeting

The regular meeting of the Winchester Day unit of the Home Bureau met Tuesday, May 3, at the home of Mrs. Roy Donelson. Mrs. Herman Weder, chairman presided at a business meeting and roll call was answered by giving "An Embarrassing Experience." Mrs. O. C. Smith presented the major lesson, "The General Care of the Eye." "Etiquette of Travel," the minor lesson, was presented by Mrs. Bernard Moore.

Winchester News

Mr. Sol Hains further entertained guests at the Hainsfarther Shoe store at Brockman's Cafe Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Bugg and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lehman entertained at a dinner party at the Bugg home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Troutner of Oak Park are visiting her mother, Mrs. R. S. Coon.

Miss Joan Grout is home from the University of Illinois visiting her mother, Mrs. Temple Gout.

The Winchester Household Science will hold its regular meeting at the Legion Building on May 11. The meeting will start at 12:30 p.m. with a potluck luncheon. The roll call will provide "Suggestions for Next Year's Program." The luncheon and the program will be in charge of the officers.

The teachers and officers of the First Baptist church Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. J. Ralph Peak on Friday evening, May 6, at 7:30 p.m. The lesson topic for the evening was "The Kingdom of God" under the leadership of the Rev. John Scott. Mrs. Evelyn Haggard was co-hostess.

Northminster Aid To Honor Mothers At Banquet May 19

Mrs. Anna Estaque presented a talk on Mother's Day. "The Fifth Commandment," Thursday afternoon at the Northminster Ladies Aid meeting at the church. The Aid's annual mother-daughter banquet will be held May 19.

The Rev. C. F. Janssen announced that a Father's Day service will be conducted in June. A vocational Bible school is planned for the first two weeks in that month.

Mrs. Carl Day presided. Mrs. Paul DeFratras led devotions. Mrs. E. H. Shepard sang "Sunshine of Her Smile."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Thomas Fernandes. Mrs. J. H. Redburn, Mrs. Fred Day, Mrs. Mildred Vasconcellos, Mrs. Albert Simms and Mrs. Charles Ornelas.

BUSINESS MEN ELECT LEADERS AT FRANKLIN

Franklin—The Franklin Business Men's club enjoyed a steak supper at Caldwell's Restaurant Monday evening and then adjourned to the office of Dr. Charles Ladenheim for a business session.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Dr. Charles Ladenheim; vice-president, Clarence Kenny; secretary, John I. Wood; treasurer, Robert Nelson.

Round & Square Dance
Ted Six and Orchestra
Rommy Ring, Violinist
Earl Lindsey, Caller
Nichols Park, Fri., May 13

Gold Star Mothers Guests Of Local Legion Auxiliary

Nine Gold Star mothers were guests of the Jacksonville American Legion Auxiliary at its regular meeting Wednesday in the Legion hall. They were welcomed by Mrs. Florence Vasconcellos.

Included in the group were Mrs. Hattie McClelland, Mrs. Opal Bends, Mrs. Harriett Pate, Mrs. Mildred Stillflew, Mrs. Ruth Robinson, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Edith Long, Mrs. Sarah Scribner and Mrs. Mary A. Foster.

Mrs. A. B. Applebee, a charter member of local unit 279, gave a talk on the country of Latvia and the experiences of a Latvian family, Mr. and Mrs. Frick Kezber and their three children, during the war years. The Kezbers are now living on the Applebee farm.

Refreshments were served from a tea table attractively decorated with lilacs and tulips in a yellow bowl and blue candles in yellow holders. In charge of the session were Mrs. Trilby Skinner, Mrs. Anna Smith and Mrs. Louise Robinson, assisted by Mrs. Lottie Hutches, Mrs. Zella Reid and Mrs. Dorothea Woods.

French Educator To Be Guest Of Local Teachers

Jean-Jose Valette of Paris, France, will arrive in Jacksonville Sunday evening as the guest of the Jacksonville Education association. He is visiting in the United States under the auspices of the National Education association and was selected for the trip by the French minister of education for the trip.

Jacksonville, long recognized as a center of education, has been chosen as one of two Illinois cities for Mr. Valette's tour. His primary concern is the study of American methods of teaching which can be adapted to the new educational system in the French public secondary schools. He is a teacher of French, Latin, Greek and civics. His pupils are boys in the 11 to 19 year age group.

Jacksonville public school teachers have been generous contributors to the Overseas Teacher Relief fund of the National Education association, and it is part of this fund that is used to bring foreign teachers to study American schools. Mr. Valette's visit to Jacksonville was arranged by John M. Hollowell, local high school teacher who is a NEA national committee member, and Miss Frances Webb, president of the Jacksonville Education association.

During his three-day stay here, Mr. Valette will visit in the public schools of Jacksonville, some of the rural schools of Morgan county, the state schools for the blind and for the deaf, and the local colleges. He will also visit New Salem State Park and make a pilgrimage to Lincoln's home and tomb.

VFW Home Ass'n Receives Charter

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Home Association of this city has been granted articles of incorporation by the secretary of state. The association, organized for social, civic and patriotic purposes, maintains a home on East Morton Road. The VFW Auxiliary also has headquarters at the home.

The incorporators are Herl B. Jordan, Raymond Massey and Russell J. Alvarez, officers of the Morgan County Post 1379, VFW. The post was represented in its application for charter by Attorney Russell J. Alvarez.

CHURCH GROUP MEETS AT FAY DANIEL HOME

Group five of the Woman's Council of Central Christian church met recently at the home of the leader, Mrs. Fay Daniel, with 21 members and guests present.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe, Christian patriotism chairman, introduced Mrs. Earl Underbrink, who spoke on "The Four Freedoms." Mrs. Joe Self led group singing and devotions. Mrs. C. C. Walton gave the missionary lesson.

The next meeting will be May 26 at 1 p.m. A potluck dinner will be served, and each member is asked to bring a covered dish, sandwiches and table service.

CHAPMAN TO SPEAK AT ARENZVILLE CLUB

Arenzville—Hunter Chapman, superintendent of school unit 27, will be the guest speaker of the Arenzville Junior Woman's club at its 25th monthly meeting of the season Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Clark.

The Immanuel Ladies Aid held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday in the church basement with Mrs. Arthur Lovekamp and Mrs. Hugo Lovekamp as hostesses. Roll call was answered by 17 members. Scripture reading and prayer were offered by the Rev. Schlichting.

Funeral Services

Mrs. C. A. Johnson
Funeral services for Mrs. C. A. Johnson will be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Reynolds Mortuary. Rev. William H. Marbach of Pontiac, Mich., will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Lewis N. Raymond, pastor of State Street Presbyterian church.

DRY WEATHER AND GRASSHOPPERS



When the Osage orange tree shoots its leaves, that's a good time to plant corn, say many experienced farmers. The leaves are out, but many of the fields of west central Illinois are too dry to insure germination of the seed.

The same dry weather suits the grasshopper family. Observers say there's plenty of eggs in the ground. They fear that unless cool, wet weather comes during the hatching season two or three weeks from now,

this area will have a record grasshopper population. The photograph shows Farm Adviser E. H. Garlich (left) and William B. Becker, Alexander farmer, examining a cluster of eggs found under a clump of timothy growing in a meadow of the Becker farm about five miles north of Alexander. The eggs (slightly reduced in size) are shown in the second photograph. The dark yellow masses were found in a large percentage of the timothy plants examined.



George C. Decker, chief entomologist of the Illinois Natural History Survey, Urbana, said Friday morning that "there is reason for concern." He advised farmers to "keep their eyes open and watch for the early hatch." Spraying the breeding areas with chloroform or toxaphene promises to control the hoppers if done early enough, before they travel to nearby growing crops. The fact that adult grasshoppers have been found in many sections

of the state is no cause for alarm, Decker said. There are always some that manage to pull through the winter, he continued.

"They're nothing to worry about. The ones that hatch out late in May or early in June will do the damage."

The specialists feel there is no occasion for "scare." It doesn't take much spraying to reduce them, that is if it's done when they're small and still concentrated in the breeding areas, they advise.

Church Boosters Meet Thursday At White Hall

White Hall—The Boosters club of the local Methodist church which is composed of the young married couples met Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ridings with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price as assistant hosts. A business meeting was held, with devotions led by the minister, the Rev. Charles Vandertum. Games were played and refreshments served.

Dr. Stickley's class of the Methodist church will sing special numbers of the morning worship at 10:45 a.m. Sunday in honor of Mother's Day. This is annual feature of the boys' class.

The Hillview alumni dinner will be held the night of May 21 at the high school gymnasium with the Royal Neighbors serving the banquet. A dance will follow the banquet with music being furnished by Virgil Bowen's orchestra.

The Hillview-Patterson Home Bureau Unit met recently for their regular May meeting at the home of Mrs. Bert Tankersley, with Mrs. Charles Powell and Mrs. H. L. McClay giving the major lesson on "Methods of Dress Making or Clothing Processes" and the minor lesson by Mrs. Charles Arnold on "Signatures, Business and Otherwise." Mrs. Rex Hallock had charge of the entertainment.

Roll call was answered by "Mother's Favorite Song." The Past Noble Grand's Club held their regular monthly meeting Wednesday night at the I.O.O.F. Hall with Mrs. Leona Conrod and Mrs. Maude Branson as co-hostess. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock with entertainment following.

Elmer Johnston son of Rev. and Mrs. Elmer C. Johnston arrived Thursday for a visit with his parents, accompanied by Mr. George

Roberts also of Detroit. Thursday was the birthday anniversary of Elmer, Jr.

Graduation Today For Cass County Rural Students

Virginia—Graduation exercises for 29 eighth grade graduates of ten rural schools of Cass county will be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the Virginia high school.

Otis Keeler, assistant superintendent of public instruction, Springfield, will deliver the address and B. W. Smith, county superintendent of schools, will present the diplomas. The Rev. H. F. Higgins will pronounce the invocation and benediction. The welcome will be extended by Evelyn Miller.

A musical program has been arranged: duo, Irving Fry and Arnold Gerdes; trio, James Culp, Evelyn Miller and Richard Kischner; piano solo, Kenneth Dour; vocal ensemble, Ronald Leroy Pate, Shirley Rae Matthews, Kenneth M. Dour, Dorothy Ann Walters and Hershel Lee Walters.

ROTARY HEARS STORY OF MOTHER'S DAY

The history and meaning of Mother's Day was told to Rotarians by Miss Vera Seaton during a talk at the regular club meeting Friday noon.

Miss Seaton outlined the development of the day from its origin in 1907 by Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia to the present time when Mother's Day is observed in many nations of the world.

The speaker was introduced by Edward Nelson, program chairman.

DANCE TONIGHT NICHOLS PARK

Mrs. Mary Million Dies Here Friday At The Age Of 91

Mrs. Mary E. Million passed away at 2:45 p.m. Friday at Our Saviour's hospital, where she had been a patient since April 11. She was 91 years of age.

The decedent, a resident of this city for the past 30 years, was born Jan. 27, 1858, at Murrayville, the daughter of James and Mary Reese Anderson. She married Charles A. Million at Murrayville. He died in 1931.

For her age Mrs. Million had been unusually active up until the last seven months. From her childhood she was a member of the Murrayville Baptist church, which she attended regularly, by as long as her health permitted.

She is survived by two sons, Ernest of Murrayville and Ira of Jacksonville; and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Seymour of Woodson. One daughter, Gertrude, preceded her in death in 1898.

The body was taken to the Cody and Son Memorial Home, where funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday. The Rev. William H. Spencer will officiate. Burial will be in the Murrayville cemetery.

Speaker Attacks Farm Telephone Bill As "Phony"

Indianapolis, Ind.—The Poage Bill, recently approved by the House Agriculture Committee, was blasted in a speech delivered here by William C. Henry, president of the Northern Ohio Telephone Company, as a "snare and a delusion," baited with a false "lure of cheap two per cent government money."

The Ohio telephone executive, who also is a spokesman and former president of the United States Independent Telephone Association, made his charge in an address to the annual convention of the Indiana Telephone Association. He referred to a measure introduced in the 81st Congress by Representative Poage, Texas Democrat, as an amendment to the Rural Electrification Act.

"Government REA rural legislation would be the first step in nationalization of the telephone industry in the United States," Henry declared. "Any legislation which would put the government in direct competition with those private companies already established in the telephone business will lead to taking over of our industry, bit by bit. Yet this proposal in Congress is typical of much of the thinking of those who are advocating further centralization of power in Washington."

Woodson Christian Church To Honor Mothers Sunday

Services at the Woodson Christian church are to start at an earlier hour for the summer months of May, June, July and August, by action taken last Sunday by the congregation. Sunday school will start at 9 a.m., starting this Sunday with the morning worship service starting at 10 o'clock. The plan was tried out last year and was found to be so satisfactory that at the recent meeting of the church board it was agreed to submit it to the congregation for their action.

Plans for the financial visitation, which is to be held next month, are to be presented at a special meeting of the church board to be held at the church Monday evening. Herbert Owings and Gene Way are joint chairmen of the planning committee. Harold Sooy is the chairman of the board.

The Woodson church was represented by six persons at the West-Central District Convention held in Carlinville Thursday and Friday. Those attending were Mrs. Laurence Fisher, Mrs. Harold Sooy, Mrs. Frank McCurley, Mrs. Harriett Smith, William Slater and the Rev. A. D. Hermann.

Special recognition is to be given Sunday to each mother in attendance, each one receiving a remembrance of the occasion. Special awards will be given to four mothers: the youngest mother present, the oldest mother, the mother with the youngest child and the mother with the most children present.

Mrs. William Pennings, superintendent of the Cradle Roll, will make the awards.

Cass Co. Couple Exchange Vows

Chandlerville—Vows of marriage were exchanged by Miss Ruth Glick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glick, and Herbert Chilton, son of T. N. Chilton, in a double-ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Harvey Michael at 8 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, in the Salem Lutheran church at Chandlerville.

The attendants were Miss Maxine Leinberger of Petersburg, cousin of the bride, and Floyd Musch of Arenzville.

The couple are residing on a farm near Chandlerville.

Students Here Today For Music Festival

Outstanding student musicians from 19 high schools will gather here today for the fourth annual MacMurray College Band Festival, with activities beginning at 8:30 a.m.

At 8:15 this evening an "all star" band, composed of these young players, will present a concert at the Jacksonville high school under the direction of Newell H. Long, guest conductor from the University of Indiana. The public is invited.

Henry E. Busche of the MacMurray College music department is director of the festival. Chairman of rehearsal is James Welch, J.H.S. music director. Other MacMurray personnel assisting with the event are Valera H. Berry, Charlyn Koch, Helen Forsee and Susan LaPierre.

The following high schools will participate: Athens, Ball Township of Glenarm, Barry, Beardstown, Camp Point, Carlinville, Franklin, Greenfield, Jacksonville, Lewistown, Liberty, Mt. Pulaski, Notre Dame of Quincy, Pawnee, Petersburg, Pittsfield, Springfield, Tallula and Williamsville.

Festival members from Jacksonville high and their instruments are: Gretchen Engelbach, flute; Jacques Katz, flute; Mary Ruth Hayes, oboe; George Conlee, alto clarinet; Beth Armin, clarinet; Joyce Fernandes, clarinet; Maurice Wajis, clarinet; Jack Woody, clarinet; Charles Morris, cornet.

Freddie Englebach, also saxophone; Francis Conlee, cornet; Bob Sturm, cornet; Blanche Tankersley, horn; David Pierce, trombone; Gerald Worral, trombone; Charles Grant, bass tuba; Jo Canatsey, snare drum; Vernon Hooper, snare drum; and Robert Grogan, tympani.

31 Attend Orleans Country Club Meet At Alexander Home

Mrs. Grace Davenport entertained 31 members and guests of the Orleans Woman's Country club Tuesday at her home near Alexander. Music was furnished by Mrs. Lilly Clegg and Mrs. Elizabeth Ash, piano duo.

During the meeting, conducted by Mrs. Hazel Wood, president, Mrs. Grace Davenport and Mrs. Mae Kinnett were elected delegates to the state federation convention in Chicago. Alternates are Mrs. Julia Kamm and Mrs. Nellie Stevenson.

The following committees were selected for the annual June picnic: domestic, Mrs. Helen Drury, Mrs. Elizabeth Ash, Mrs. Bernita Mattson and Miss Florence Cox; program, Mrs. Nellie Cox, Mrs. Ethel Andrews and Mrs. Blanche Koss. Mrs. Bertha Jackson became a new member.

Mrs. Freda Heaton, program chairman, presented an interesting review of "Pleasant Valley" by Louis Bromfield.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake, nuts and coffee were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be May 17 with Mrs. Nellie Cox and Mrs. Edith Cox as hostesses.

Guests were: Mrs. Minnie Harcourt, Mrs. Laura Hallerburg, Mrs. Byron Strawn and son, Mrs. Lillian Scott, Mrs. Nellie Rice, Mrs. Ben Ferguson, Mrs. Joan Carpenter, Miss Violet Davis, Mrs. Mary Strawn, Mrs. Florence Arnold and Miss Euphemia Adams.

Virginia Residents Attend Minstrel Given By Band

Virginia—A large crowd attended the "Old Man River" minstrel presented Thursday night by members of the newly formed band.

Vocal solos were rendered by Conrad Davis, Virgene Davis, Verna Cramer, Joan Steele and David Cox. Vocal duets were rendered by Mary Ann White and Patsy Webster, Ina Mae Cox and Fay Lindsey, Mary Kay Dour and Jo Ellen Potter, Julia Cox and Marlene Caldwel.

A vocal selection was rendered by the Susie-Quees, composed of Letta Ring, Linda Lou Hish, Cecelia Dammotte and Carolyn Hamblin. They also gave a tap-dance.

Instrumental selection were by John Robert Shaner, accordion; harmonica selections by Peter Skiles, cornet solo by Ernest Lauener and bass solo by Verna Sherran.

The end men were Bill Stidman, David Cox, Phil Turner, Bob Watkins, Glenn Walrich and Don Davidsmeyer.

Bob Dour was the interlucator.

The Adah Robinson Chapter of Eastern Star will have a special call meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday evening, May 10, and also a special call meeting Thursday evening, May 12, at 7:30 to initiate candidates.

Supt. J. Benjamin Walrich, Coach Cecil McVey and 23 of the basketball, baseball and track boys enjoyed their annual athletic banquet at the St. Nicholas hotel Wednesday evening.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, May 11, at the Legion Home. Hostesses for the evening will be the Mesdames Epler Mills, James Massie, Warren Musch, George Maurer, James McCarthy, Seih McClintick, Virgil Mallicoate and Harvey Merriam.

The Rev. Bill Heny will be the speaker at the special services to be held May 16 and 17 at the Baptist church in this city. The meeting will begin at 7:45 p.m. each evening. The public is invited.

The Missionary society of the Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 10, at the home and Richard Allen of Illinois College will be the guest speaker. Mrs. leader will be Mrs. William Higginson. Clyde Cox is chairman of hostesses.

Troop 114, ISD, Wins Finals In Scout Swim Meet

Boy Scout Troop 114 of the Illinois School for the Deaf placed first in the finals of the Boy Scout swim meet held Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the I. S. D. pool.

Second place was won by Troop 113, third by Troop 111 and fourth by Troop 115.

The meet was staged under the direction of Harlan Lee Williamson. Lee Kelleher served as scorer. Other assistants were Dave Sweet, Ray Stein, Angelo Spinnazzola, Gerry Laschinsky and Paul Thursday.

Class "A" winners were Kemp, Troop 113, first; McKinsey, 114, second, and Williams, Senior Troop 115, third, in the crawl event; Kemp, 113, first, Shine, 103, second, and Antle, 103, third, in the backstroke event; J. Drennan, 111, first, Williams, 115 (Senior troop), second, and Drennan, 111, third, breaststroke; and Shine, 103, first, Drennan, 111, second, McKinsey, 114, third, and Buck, 114, fourth, free style.

Winners in class "B" were Louder, 115, first; Beasley, 111, second, Woods 115, third, and B. Rawlings, 113, fourth, in the crawl event; Omundson, 102, first, Birdsong, 113, second, and Louder, 115, third, backstroke; Thayer, 102, first, Keller, 114, second, Pfeiffer, 114, third, and Blair, 115, fourth, breaststroke; and Franco, 114, first, Beasley, 111, second, Mays, 115 (senior troop), third, and Woods, 115 (senior troop), fourth, free style.

The relays were won by Troop 114, with McKinsey, Buck, Feller and Wallace on the team, first place; Troop 103, Jackson, Brockhouse, Antle and Shine, second; Troop 113, Meyers, Birdsong, D. Rawlings and Louder, third; and Troop 115, McMann, Marshall, D. Rawlings and Louder, fourth.

Winners of the candle specialty event were Troop 114, represented by Gudice, first place; Troop 115, Blair, second place; and Troop 113, Kemp, third place.

Rev. Pruehsner Installs Officers Of Hebron WSCS

The Rev. L. C. Pruehsner presided at the installation service conducted Wednesday afternoon by the Hebron W.S.C.S. at the home of Mrs. Emmett Broun and Mrs. Kate Broun.

New officers installed at the service include: Mrs. Albert Swain, president; Mrs. Robert Barnes, vice president; Mrs. Charles Robinson, promotion secretary; Mrs. Emmett Broun, treasurer; Mrs. Daniel Ward, secretary of Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. Nettie McNealy, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. Wesley Williams, secretary of spiritual life; Mrs. Eugene Martin, secretary of supply work; Mrs. Lee Ward, secretary of literature and publication.

Mrs. Robert Barnes discussed "Cooperating to make America Christian." Mrs. Charles Robinson presented a chapter from the study book, Mrs. Roy E. Robinson had charge of devotions. Refreshments were served.

Guests were: Mrs. James Luster, Mrs. Ray Henton and Mrs. Mary Winters. The next meeting will be June 1 at the William Robinson residence.

Local Musicians To Judge Young Artist Contest

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Cleeland and Hugh Beggs of MacMurray College will be in Springfield Saturday, May 7, to attend the Illinois State Federation of Music Clubs convention, which will be held in the Abraham Lincoln Hotel.

Mr. Cleeland and Mr. Beggs will act as judges in the young artist contest. Mrs. Cleeland will be chairman of the art judges.

The MacMurray College Choir will appear as guests on May 8, giving the last group of numbers on the final program of the day, and Miss Margaret Harvey of Quincy, accompanist for the choir, will play a group of piano solos on the program.

Mr. Cleeland judged in Springfield last week in the state finals of the Class A high schools music competition.

B. Y. F. To Hold Open Meeting

The Baptist Youth Fellowship of the First Baptist church has invited parents and other interested people to attend the Sunday evening service, May 8, at 6 o'clock, in the social rooms.

Mrs. Perry Robinson accompanied a delegation of young people to Galesburg on the week-end of April 29, 30-May 1 for the annual state B. Y. F. Congress. Stories told by the young people concerning the conference will be shared at the Sunday evening service. Refreshments will be served.

NOTICE

Have leased Gulf Service Station at Chapin, Illinois. Hours 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. Your business appreciated. George N. Wallace.